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BRITISH DESTROYER ORDERED TO FOOCHOW



Mr. Arthur Henderson, who has accepted the Labour nomination for Clay Cross photographed in Paris with M. Paul-Boncour.

AMERICA AND GOLD

EMBARGO PARTIALLY LIFTED

ACTION AGAINST HOARDERS

New York, Aug. 29.

Activity developed on the metal market to-day when an official announcement was made from Hydo Park, the President's summer residence, that the Administration had partially lifted the embargo on gold.

President Roosevelt has authorized the Treasury to receive, on consignment for sale through the Federal Reserve Bank, gold newly-mined in the United States.

This modification of the regulations will enable American gold producers to obtain the very high prices for the metal which prevail abroad.

ACTION AGAINST HOARDERS.

The owners of gold coin and bullion certificates are now ordered to file a statement within a fortnight detailing the amounts held.

After thirty days, no-one will be allowed to hold either gold coin or bullion certificates under a penalty of a fine of ten thousand dollars and or ten years' imprisonment.—*Reuter*.

Later.

It is made clear that the lifting of the gold embargo applies only to newly-mined U.S. gold.—*Reuter*. Asia Lands have received a cable announcing that the gold decision has been interpreted bullishly and that sharp rises in commodity prices are expected.

STOP PRESS

The nearest typhoon to the Colony is not likely to threaten the Hongkong region, unless it changes course. Its present position is believed to be about 400 miles east of Aparri, moving N.W. or N.N.W.

U.S. WARSHIP ALSO ON THE WAY

FALL OF YENPING NOT YET CONFIRMED

PUZZLING SITUATION

THE SOMEWHAT CRITICAL SITUATION IN FUKIEN, WHERE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE APPARENTLY LAUNCHED A SUCCESSFUL SURPRISE ATTACK TOWARDS FOOCHOW, IS PUZZLING.

A Reuter cable from Washington this morning announces that the State Department has ordered a destroyer from the U.S. Asiatic Fleet to proceed to Foochow where three Americans are endangered "by Communist hordes."

The U.S.S. Sacramento in fact left Hongkong for Foochow this morning.

The American warship was preceded by a few hours by H.M.S. Wishart, also from Hongkong, while as reported yesterday, the Japanese cruiser Imdza, bound for Hongkong, has been diverted to Foochow.

The activity in foreign naval circles suggests that the situation is, indeed, grave, but the *Telegraph* is informed by a reliable source that there is good reason to doubt whether Yenping has been captured by the Communists, as reported by Peking last evening.

NO CONFIRMATION.

No confirmation of the fall of the city has been obtained, though it is stated that if an attack in strength should be launched by the Communists, it would not hold out for very long. There are only about a thousand Government troops in the vicinity.

Yenping is on the Min River about seventy miles above Foochow and its fall into Red hands would constitute a serious menace to the port of Foochow.

NAVAL MEASURES.

Nevertheless, no risks are being taken and if necessary, the naval forces at the port may be strengthened.

The local naval authorities stated this morning that it was probable that both H.M.S. Wishart and the U.S.S. Sacramento would stay in Foochow until the trouble has blown over.

The Sacramento is not expected to reach Foochow until Friday. H.M.S. Wishart should be there to-morrow morning.

JAPANESE REQUEST.

Tokyo, Aug. 29.

The Japanese Navy has been requested by the Japanese consulate officials at Foochow to dispatch two warships to Foochow for the protection of Japanese residents in view of the serious threat of Communist disturbances.

JAPANESE ENVOY IN WASHINGTON

NEW APPOINTMENT MADE

Tokyo, Aug. 29.

It is learned on good authority that the Government has appointed a new Minister to Washington. The name is not yet divulged.

BUTTER RECORDS

AUSTRALIAN OUTPUT TREBLED

For the first time on record butter exports from Australia have exceeded 100,000 tons in a year. Shipments for the past twelve months were 100,294 tons, of which 92,979 tons were taken by the United Kingdom, says *Austral News*. The dairy industry, which has been the Eastern States' main export, is now showing signs of a revival.

BOLTON'S FIRST POINTS

Win For Relegated Team

London, Aug. 29.

Bolton, playing their second match of the season, gained their first points in the Second Division of the Football League to-day, when, visiting Grimsby, they won by the odd goal in five.

In the Northern section of the Third Division, Southport and Accrington shared the spoils, each scoring once.—*Reuter*.

GERMAN BANK CRISIS SEQUEL

BIG WOOLLEN FIRM OWNERS CHARGED

Bremen, Aug. 29.

A trial which is likely to last for several months opened here to-day when the brothers, Carl and Heinz Lahusen, joint owners of the huge Nordwolle woollen concern, on charges of responsibility for the failure of the company in 1931, which precipitated the bank crisis of that year, Fraud and falsification are alleged and it is also alleged that the brothers had secret banking accounts.—*Reuter*.

NEW SOLICITOR ADMITTED

JOINING MESSRS. DENNY'S AND CO.

Mr. Charles Edwin Lowe who has joined Messrs. Denny's and Co., solicitors, was admitted to practice in the Hongkong Supreme Court this morning by the Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood.

His admission was proposed by the Attorney General, Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., and was approved the Chief Justice with a few words of formal welcome.

Mr. Lowe hails from Abinger Common, Surrey, and Baywater. He was educated at Abingdon School, Berkshire, and at St. Edmund's College, near Ware, Hert. He was articled to Langham Douglas Langham and Owen Hastings, and to Messrs. Sanderson, Lee, and Co., and was admitted to practice in England in 1931.

STOCK MARKETS

WORLD DISTANCE RECORD

5,657 Miles Credited to Codos and Rossi

Paris, Aug. 29.

The French Aero Club have accepted as accurate the estimate of the distance flown by Rossi and Codos in their flight from New York to Rayak, Syria, as 5,657 miles, 589 yards.

They have thus beaten the Gayford and Nicholls record of 5,340 miles by 317 miles.—*Reuter*.

MURDERER HANGED

EXECUTION AT GAOL THIS MORNING

Fan Hing, 20, sentenced to death by the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Wood, at the July Criminal Sessions for the murder, by strangulation, of Po Mui, aged 60, a widow, in a Shaokwan backyard was hanged in Victoria Gaol at 5.01 a.m. this morning. The execution was carried out in the presence of Mr. Hopkins (Superintendent of Prisons), Dr. Griffith (Gaol Medical Officer) and Chief Warden Buchanan.

At the trial, the jury composed of Messrs. F. Mow Fung, (Foreman), H. A. Castro, J. A. S. Alves, O. B. Raven, D. Ellis, A. D. S. Gomes, and H. D. Brown, returned the following verdict:—"We find the accused guilty of murder, with a strong recommendation to mercy, as we think he was acting under the undue domination of the woman."

Fan Hing's wife, who was released from custody at the conclusion of the trial, immediately disappeared from Hongkong.

PRIME MINISTER ON VACATION

TO BE GUEST OF HIS MAJESTY

London, Aug. 29.

The Prime Minister (Mr. Ramsay MacDonald) will to-morrow fly from Lonsdale where he has been spending a holiday, to Northern Ireland where he will stay for a few days with Lord Londonderry, the Air Minister. He will afterwards return to London and will go later to Balmoral Castle as a guest of the King and Queen.

LO WEN KAN

ARRIVAL BY AIR AT LANCHOW

Shanghai, Aug. 30.

Mr. Lo Wen-kan left Shanghai this morning at ten, returning his flight to Sinkiang. This afternoon the party of National leaders arrived at Lanchow and there Lo Wen-kan met General Chu Shue-lang, and the Chairman of the Chinese Government, Mr. Wang.

The former Foreign Minister will stay at Lanchow for two days.

U.S. LADIES' GOLF

EASY WINS FOR FAVOURITES

MISS WISON'S NEXT HURDLE

New York, Aug. 29.

The first round of the American women's open golf championship played at Highland park to-day was marked by an entire absence of surprises.

All the leading personalities passed into the second round without much difficulty, although both Miss Enid Wilson, the British challenger, who is strongly fancied, and Miss Orcutt were taken to the sixteenth green.

Miss Wilson defeated Mrs. Lake by three up and two to play and will be in opposition to-morrow to Mrs. Higbie, who to-day eliminated Miss Rena Nelson by two and one.

EX-HOLDER THROUGH.

Miss Helen Hicks, the former champion, defeated Miss Edith Begg by four and three, while Miss van Wic won easily against Miss Elizabeth Dunn, bringing the match to an end on the twelfth green, where she was seven up with six to play.

Miss Peggy Wattles defeated Miss Mackenzie by three and two, while Miss Orcutt eliminated Mrs. Dennehy by a similar margin.—*Reuter*.

SIR JOHN SIMON RETURNS

SPLENDID TRIP TO A SPLENDID COUNTRY

London, Aug. 29.

Sir John and Lady Simon arrived at Southampton from South America this afternoon in the liner Arlanza. The Foreign Secretary will remain in London for about a week and will probably proceed to Scotland after attending a Cabinet meeting to be held next Tuesday.

He stated that he had enjoyed a splendid trip to a splendid country and was feeling extremely well after the rest and change.—*British Wireless*.

LORD GREY OF FALLODEN

ALMOST BLIND FOR SOME YEARS

London, Aug. 29.

Lord Grey, who is lying very ill at his home at Falloeden in Northumberland, was Foreign Secretary from 1915 to 1916.

The great strain of the early war years affected his eyesight and he has been almost entirely blind for some years. He has remained always a close student of affairs and his occasional speeches on current political events invariably carry great weight.—*British Wireless*.

Ngai Li-shi alias Li Ng-mui, widow of 40, and formerly of 16, Third Street, Victoria, died last March of cancer of the stomach.

NEW FORCE FOR AUSTRIA

TO MEET BORDER "MENACE"

ALLIES AGREE TO STEP

Vienna, Aug. 29.

Austria's defences are to be strengthened as a result of negotiations between Dr. Dollfuss, the Chancellor, and interested governments.

It will be recalled that the Austrian Chancellor, owing to the alleged menace of an invasion by Austrian Nazi forces armed in Bavaria, approached the French Government recently with a proposal to increase the Austrian army to the full Treaty limits.

It was finally decided to meet the situation in another way and a Volunteer Auxiliary Corps, additional to the Federal Army, is being established.

SIX MONTHS' ENLISTMENT.

The Volunteers will serve for a period of six months only and their total strength, with the Federal Army, will not exceed the thirty thousand men permitted under Treaty.

The Volunteers will be used almost exclusively for frontier defence.

Last week, it was persistently rumoured that the Nazi Austrian Legion formed in Bavaria was already moving towards the Austrian frontier.—*Reuter*.

LITTLE ENTENTE CONSENT.

Agreement will probably be concluded within a few days embodying the conditions in which the British, French and Italian Governments consent to the request recently made by the Austrian Government for permission to raise, for one year, a special auxiliary force of 8,000 men.

The Governments of the Little Entente Powers are understood to have been consulted and to have given their consent.

The Austrian request arises out of the atmosphere of tension existing on the Austro-German frontier.

By the terms of the treaty of Saint Germain, the Austrian army is allowed 30,000 men but it has never been up to full strength. Derogation from the Treaty, consists in the enlistment of recruits for a new force on short service instead of for the normal 12-year period.

SANCTITY OF TREATY.

It is stipulated that this enlistment will be for not less than five and not more than six months.

The duration of the agreement is limited to necessity but will, it is hoped, be only temporary. It does not imply any precedent or indication of future policy. It is pointed out that very fact that the agreement is being drawn up reinforces the sanctity of Treaty since it constitutes an admission that the Treaty cannot be altered unilaterally.—*British Wireless*.

JAMAICA GALE HAVOC

LOSS ON BANANA PLANTATIONS

London, Aug. 29.

The Governor of Jamaica, reporting to the Colonial Office, states that the loss to the banana crop caused by the storm on 18th August is estimated at three quarters of a million stems, which would have matured within a few months.

BRITISH FINANCE

Encouraging Returns By Treasury

London, Aug. 29.

Latest Treasury returns show that the ordinary revenue in the current financial year up to August 26th amounted to £232,205,529. At the corresponding date of last year, the amount stood at £225,630,621.

Ordinary expenditure to date for the current year totalled £268,976,158, which is about £34 million less than the total ordinary expenditure at the corresponding date of last year.—*British Wireless*.

CHALLENGE RESISTED

THE U.S. TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

MIXED DOUBLES FINAL

Brookline, Aug. 29.

Organisers of the American national men's and mixed doubles tennis championships got a real hustle on to-day when three matches, including the final, in the mixed doubles were played off.

All overseas competitors were eliminated. Ellsworth Vines and Miss Ryan won the mixed doubles, beating G.M. Lott and Miss Sarah Palfrey in the final, whilst the Australian pair, Turnbull and Quist were beaten in the semi-final of the men's doubles by Lott and Stoeffen. An error was made last Saturday in the calling of the Allison and Van Ryn v Turnbull and Quist match, this being a quarter-final and not a semi-final game as stated.

In consequence there will be an all-American final, Lott and Stoeffen meeting Shields and Parker.

The British challenge in the mixed doubles was treated in cavalier manner to-day. Jack Crawford and Miss Peggy Scriven were the first victims in the semi-finals, when they lost to George Lott and Miss Palfrey 10-7, 6-3.

EXIT PERRY AND DOROTHY.

This was succeeded by the defeat of the much fancied English pair, Fred Perry and Miss Dorothy Round. The match was interrupted by rain, but this did not deprive Vines and Miss Ryan of any merit. Their success, with the scores of 6-2, 6-4, was thoroughly deserved.

The pair went on to win the final also in straight sets. The first was a tense struggle, and went to 20 games before Lott and Miss Palfrey faltered. Vines and Miss Ryan were completely on top in the second set and conceded only one game, running off winners by the scores of 11-9, 6-1.

Quist and Turnbull gave a magnificent display of fighting tennis against Lott and Stoeffen. They carried the match the full distance and the fifth set was only decided after twenty games had been played.

The Americans won the opening set, secured the second, but regained the advantage in the third. The Australians played like men inspired to win the fourth and the last was a thrilling contest. The score was 6-4, 6-3, 6-4, 6-3, 6-4.

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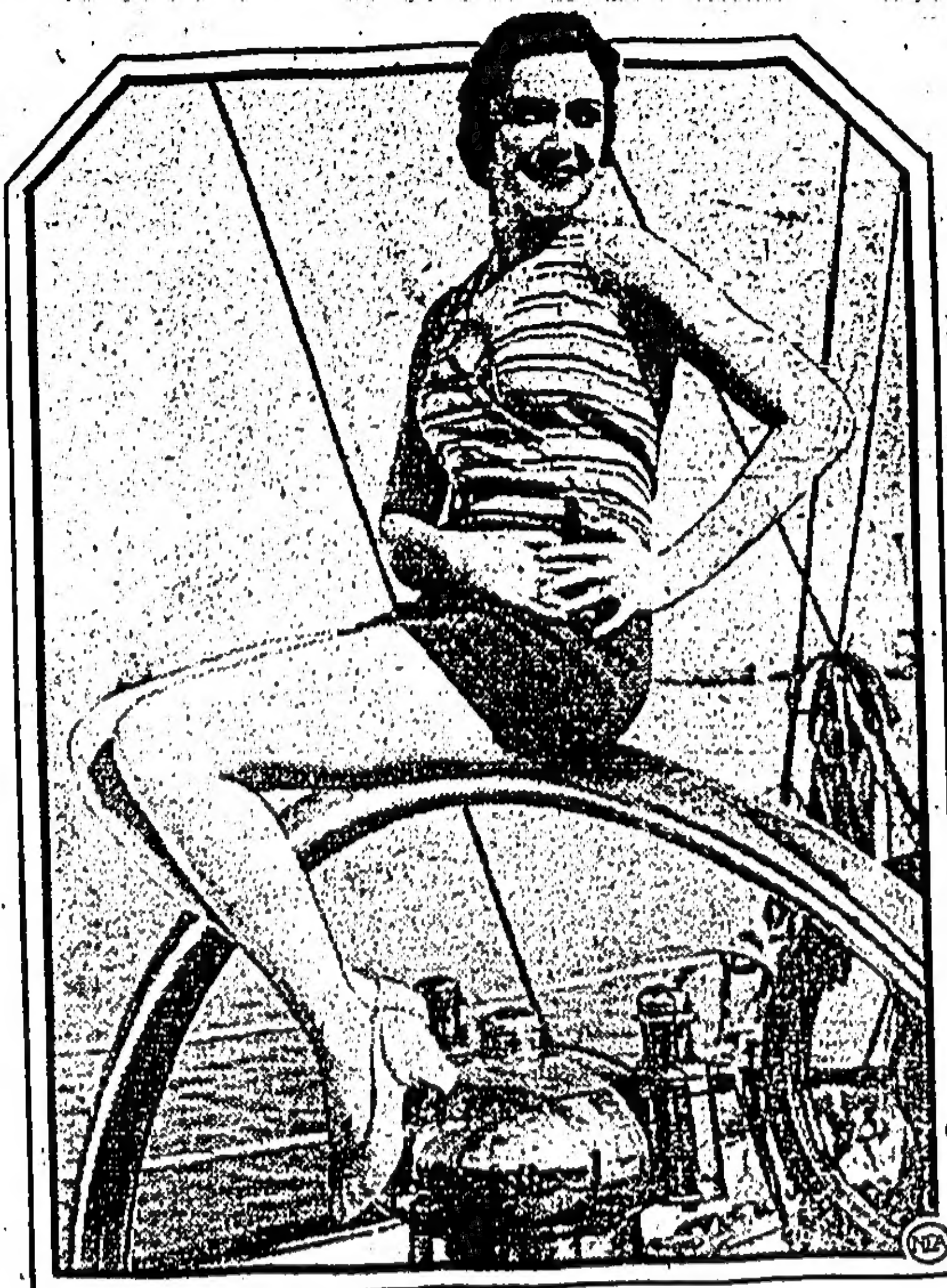
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Competition.

ENTRIES CLOSE 31st AUGUST.

THE WORLD
OF WOMEN

STARS 'N STRIPES

Hollywood Nymphs Are Splendid With Red



GAIL PATRICK

Hollywood.—Many Hollywood girls seem to be seeing red
when they go costume-hunting. You see a bit of red on many
of the best looking outfits.Gail Patrick, wore a grey suit with grey, white and red
stripes for upper part. It was something new in bathing suits,
particularly the way the striped top was fashioned. She wore
grey rubber shoes and a red cap.Mac Clarke, wore a yellow backless swimming suit
trimmed in blue and red stripes.Grace Bradley, wore a new hat, driving her car down the
Boulevard. It is a pancake, of scarlet straw, and sits on the
very edge of the left side of her head, held in place by a
small band around the back of her head.

YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

"That's my marble."

"It is not!"

"I hit it."

"You didn't."

Harry gave Dick a push and
pocketed the marble.Dick eyed him but said nothing.
Harry was a big fellow to fight.They got tired of marbles and
foiled around for awhile."Let's get your bike," suggested
Dick."No, I tell you. Let's get your
wagon and hunt boards. We
haven't got near enough to build
a dog house."Dick wasn't much interested.
Sport wasn't his dog."I'm going to build a bird house
to put on our tree.""Huh! A bird house! A little
meanly birdhouse! Why don't
you get a dog?""Say!" A thought struck Dick.
"Let's go and see those puppies.
Maybe Mr. Green will give me
one.""No, come on. We'll get your
wagon and hunt boards."

Commands Situation

Dick got his wagon and they
hunted boards. They found a few
strays and carted them home."Say Dick, get your saw, will
you, it's bigger than mine. And
you have some nails? And get—
I tell you. We'll go over and get
your whole set. Mine's no good."The "set" procured, Harry ap-
propriated the shiny hammer, the
saw, square pencil and everything.
All Dick did was to hold boards
over a stone for the other boy to
measure, mark and cut."Say!" said Harry. "How long
is Bert's dog house. I wonder?
You go over and look before I
saw any more boards. I don't
think it's this big.""Lend me your bike," said Dick.
"I ain't allowed to lend it."
"Well then, you go. I'm tired.""All right. But look here,
don't you touch anything while
I'm gone. Remember it's my dog
house and I don't want anything
spoiled.""I'll shoot marbles."
When Harry returned Dick said,
"I found that glassy of mine."
"Where?"GLORIFYING
YOURSELFSalt Baths Are Tonic
for the Nerves

By Alicia Hart

Bathing does a great deal more
than keep you clean. In the sum-
mertime, particularly, frequent
bathing adds to your comfort and
general feeling of well-being.Take a warm bath each night to
remove the grime and dust of the
day. Use plenty of soap and a
long handled brush. You can fin-
ish off with a cool shower if the
warm bath has made you uncom-
fortable. If you don't have a
nower, then your next best bet is
to fill the tub a second time with
clear, cool water.A morning shower or a dip into
tub of cool water will go far to-
ward starting the day right for
you. If you can stand it, of course
a real cold shower is most invigo-
rating. However, most of us pre-
fer a morning shower that is only
temperately cool.Salt baths are an aid in prevent-
ing excessive body perspiration.
Besides, they make you feel fresher.
Take handfuls of slightly damp-
ened salt and rub your whole body
with it. Then step into the tub or
under the shower and rinse it all
off.Bath salts have a cooling effect
when used in your bath and will
do much to refresh nerves that are
raved from summer heat. Get the
sands with simple flower odours.
Pine bath salts are a favourite in
summer.You can't take too many baths
in the summertime. They are an
important part of your beauty
routine.

"Near that bush."

"That's mine, I lost it."

"You did not. I lost it yester-
day and you know I did."

"Didn't!"

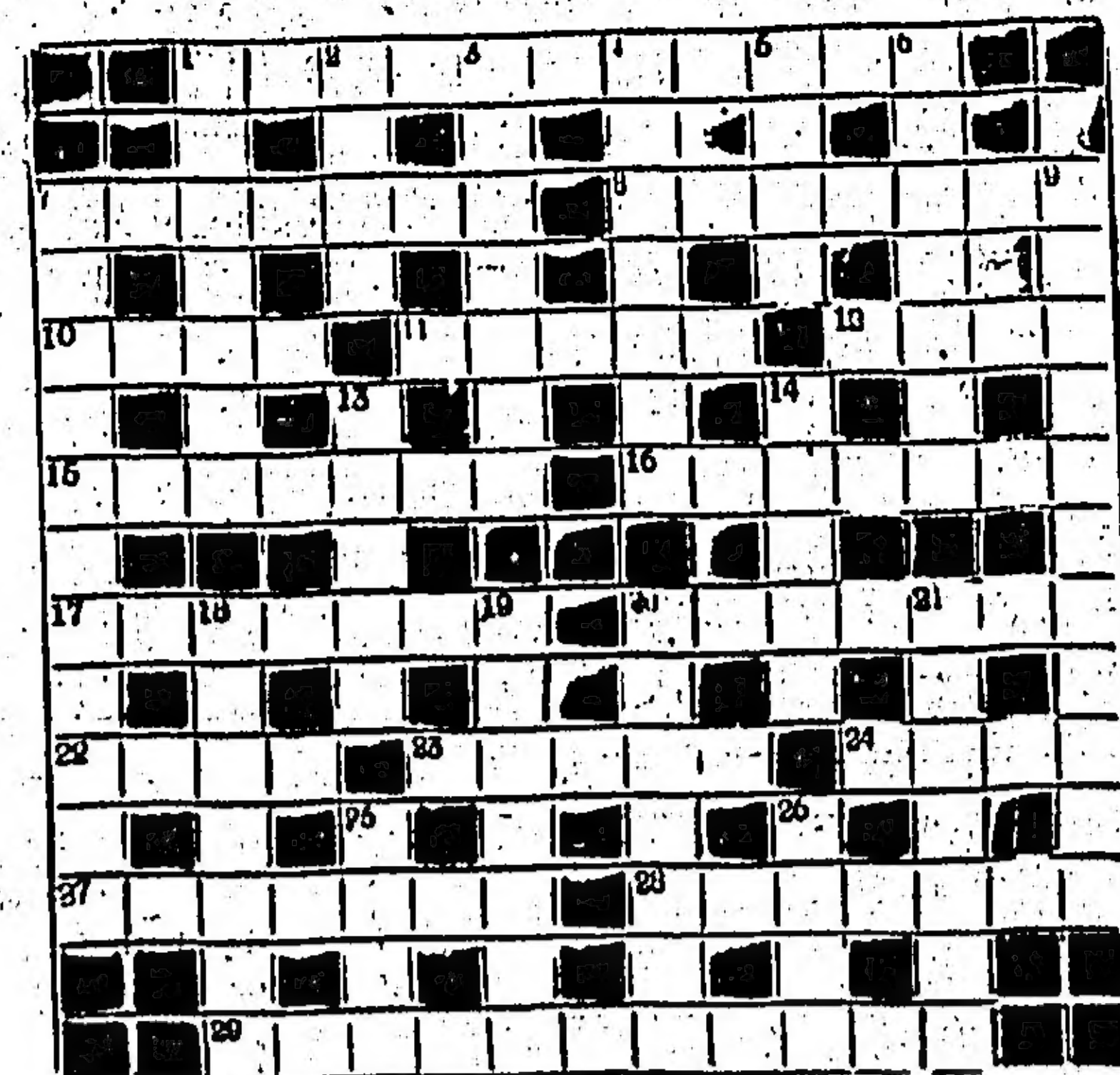
"Did!"

"Give it here."

The Comeback

Dick held his hand in his
pocket.Harry struck him. Dick struck
back—hard. Harry flew into the
house. Out came his mother.
"You go right home," she scolded.
"Why don't you stay in your own
yard?""Meanie!" yelled Harry.
"Cheat! Story-teller!"Dick piled his carpenter chest
on his wagon and marched off.But the next day Harry was
after him again. Dick, forgiving
as most children are, went.At the end of the summer his
mother said, "Dick, what's got
into you? You've no spunk at all.
I can't make you out."Too bad she didn't notice it
earlier. A day of Harry now and
then was good experience, but two
months? No. Children need fair-
minded children to play with, not
selfish bullies.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

- 1 To admit a little account leads
to wisdom.
7 Attribute in a writer.
8 After a vehicle I've invariably
a suggestion of bad language.
10 "Which, like the—, ugly and
venomous, wears yet a precious
jewel in his head." (As You
It.)
11 The recess the parliamentary
candidate hopes will come his
way eventually.
12 Familiar with circumstance.
15 Awfully nice according to the
schoolboy of my day.
16 Wear.
17 Splendid conduct with French
kings in the garment's edge.
20 French kings and sin hide this
composer.
22 Beau.
23 A rascal who is little more than
most of a church.
24 Half a U.S.A. State is in Eng-
land.
27 Always putting in his ear, but
doesn't sound fruitless.
28 The mother of Parliaments, said
Bright.
29 Few businesses should be in
these days of unemployment
(hyphen).

Down

- 1 Was this kind of illumination
used by Noah?
2 Superfluous advice to the jup-
per-maker.
3 Preliminary.
4 Difficult to clue because there's
nothing like it, they say.
5 Proverbially tight.
6 Concise kind of statement, but
it takes a volume to finish it.

- 7 Snapdragon.
9 Banished and spread himself
verbally when he lost one of his
letters.
13 It's like this when I sit after
5.
14 A re-formed siren.
18 Lives about teams.
19 Oriental result of changing
your 16 Across.
20 There are a lot of people in this
part of Europe but, to a Ger-
man, only four (to an ancient
Roman, six perhaps).
21 Dr. Johnson is reported to have
said that the inhabitants of
this country were a fair people:
they never spoke well of one
another.
25 There's a lot in a high tone.
26 As my great-grandfather
may have ejaculated.

Yesterday's Solution.

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EVE DAYLESS, pretty waitress at EARLE HARNES, advertising manager of City department store, secretly marries DICK RADDER, a construction engineer. Dick wants Eve to give up working but she refuses.

The same day Eve learns that she is to go to New York for the store and must leave that night. Dick takes her to the station but throughout the week in New York she has no word from him. The days there are busy. She meets THIERON HEDGES who is much attracted by her and she visits HELEN PRIENTIS, a former schoolmate who is playing the stock market and advises Eve to do the same.

On her return to Lake City Dick takes Eve to the fashionable Hotel Miramar where he has engaged a suite. At the office Eve finds a new copy writer, MOYA ALLEN, who appears to be a trouble-maker.

Dick and Eve are in the hotel dining room one evening when Eve sees Theron Hedges. He recognizes her and comes to their table. Later she tells Dick she thinks they should move from the hotel.

CHAPTER VIII

There were several columns of advertisements of furnished apartments for rent in the Sunday newspaper. Eve and Dick had decided to rent a furnished place because Dick was only temporarily located in Lake City. The main offices of the company he worked for were in Chicago but Dick had been in Lake City for more than a year, superintending the construction of a theatre combined with a huge office building. The theatre was to open in March but it would be June before everything would be completed. Dick hoped his next job also would be in Lake City. Eve refused even to consider the possibility that he might be sent elsewhere.

The first apartment they visited was impressive. Eve glanced about

the reception room and approved its furnishings. Even when she had learned how high the rent was she still wanted to live there.

But Dick would not listen to her argument that she could pay part of the rent. "No," he said, "we're going to live within my income and save some of it too, because I have plans for the future. It takes capital before anyone can be independent."

The next addresses on the list proved equally discouraging. At last they stopped before an old house on the opposite side of the city. It stood at the corner of a main thoroughfare and tree-lined side street.

"This house needs paint," Eve objected. "There's no use bothering to go inside. Look—the front steps are broken, too. I like the place next door better."

"That house next door is the home of the soap magnate, John North," Dick told her. "I used to room a few blocks from here."

The woman who owned the house was a widow. She and her two sons and daughter occupied one section of the rambling old mansion and the rest had been divided into apartments. Once inside, Eve had to admit the charm of the place. The walls were thick and the ceilings high. Doorways were arched and the heavy ivory woodwork was magnificent. The vacant apartment was at the front on the main floor. It had cream-coloured walls and mahogany doors. Four windows

reaching to the floor made a square "bay," and ruffled curtains were tied back to permit a view of the snow-covered lawn.

"We have a rose garden in summer and hollyhocks and all sorts of old-fashioned flowers," Mrs. Brooks announced. "The garden was my husband's hobby."

"Why these rooms are lovely! We must take them," gasped Eve, much to her own surprise. "And I think we can move in to-day."

They returned to the Miramar, checked out and stowed their belongings into the rumble seat of the roadster. Then Dick stopped at a delicatessen for chicken sandwiches, coffee, a bottle of cream and a pint of sherbert.

Mrs. Brooks let him make the coffee in her big, old-fashioned kitchen. She loaned them some dishes and cups and Eve set out the food. It was fun eating by candlelight, she declared. Dick beamed at her. "To-morrow," he said, "we'll have a real dinner in our first home, won't we, sweetheart?"

"Why, yes," said Eve soberly. She had not the slightest idea how it was to be managed since she had to be at the office until five o'clock. As she waited for the trolley at the corner next morning she turned to look at the house. It was downright shabby from the outside. Eve was not so pleased with her new home as she had been the night before.

But she forgot all that in a tremendously busy morning. At noon she purchased an orchid linen luncheon set but there was no time for further shopping.

"Oh, bother!" she told herself. "I can't do everything. We'll just have to get our meals out for a while."

But when she reached home that night she was greeted by an aroma she loathed—cooking cabbage! In great consternation she hurried to the kitchen. There stood Dick wearing a blue flannel shirt with turned up collar and a pair of old trousers. He was grating horseradish. On the stove stood a steam pressure cooker.

"Dick!" gasped Eve. "What on earth—?"

"Hello, sweetheart," he said, inclining his head for a kiss. Before Eve could take her hat off he had lifted the huge cooker and whisked it out the door. There, on the back porch, he released the steam. In a few seconds he brought it back to the stove.

"Doing that outdoors," he exclaimed, "keeps the cooking odours from circulating through the house."

"Dick Radner, why—!" Eve began. She was on the verge of tears. "Take off your wraps, dear," he said. "We can have dinner in a few minutes. Everything is done but the horseradish."

Eve obeyed. She wanted to cry. But she laid the table for two and Dick triumphantly produced his offering.

"A vegetable dinner! I thought you'd be as fed-up as I was on party food. I bought the pressure cooker at noon. Just the thing for us. Cooks meat, vegetables, and everything at the same time and in just a few minutes."

On the table was a platter of ham surrounded by carrots, onions, cabbage and potatoes. Eve looked at it without speaking.

"What's the matter?" Dick asked. "I'm not hungry."

"Well, that's too bad," Dick answered. "Don't you want to try a bit anyhow? This horseradish sets everything off just right."

Eve arose and left the room.

murmuring under her breath, "Oh, this is impossible!" But Dick went on with his meal, apparently undisturbed.

Eve sat in the dark living room looking out at the street. Dick entered much later. "Oh, there you are!" he exclaimed, turning on the lamp. "Have some candy, Eve?" And with a smile he held out a box of chocolate centred butter creams.

Eve grudgingly allowed herself one of them. "It's the only kind of dessert I really care for," Dick explained. "This and fruit cake. You'll never have to bother making pies and fancy cakes for me; just keep a homemade fruit cake on hand."

"Isn't that interesting?" commented Eve.

But Dick apparently missed the sarcasm. "I'm not going to be difficult to cook for," he assured her.

Eve's heart sank. Why, with all her years of studying, had she never learned anything at all about cooking?

Dick threw a leg over the side of his arm chair, lighted his pipe and went on, "It's going to be nice to have a wife to cook for me. I used to get so tired of hotel and restaurant food that sometimes I've taken an apartment with a kitchenette just so I could do my own cooking."

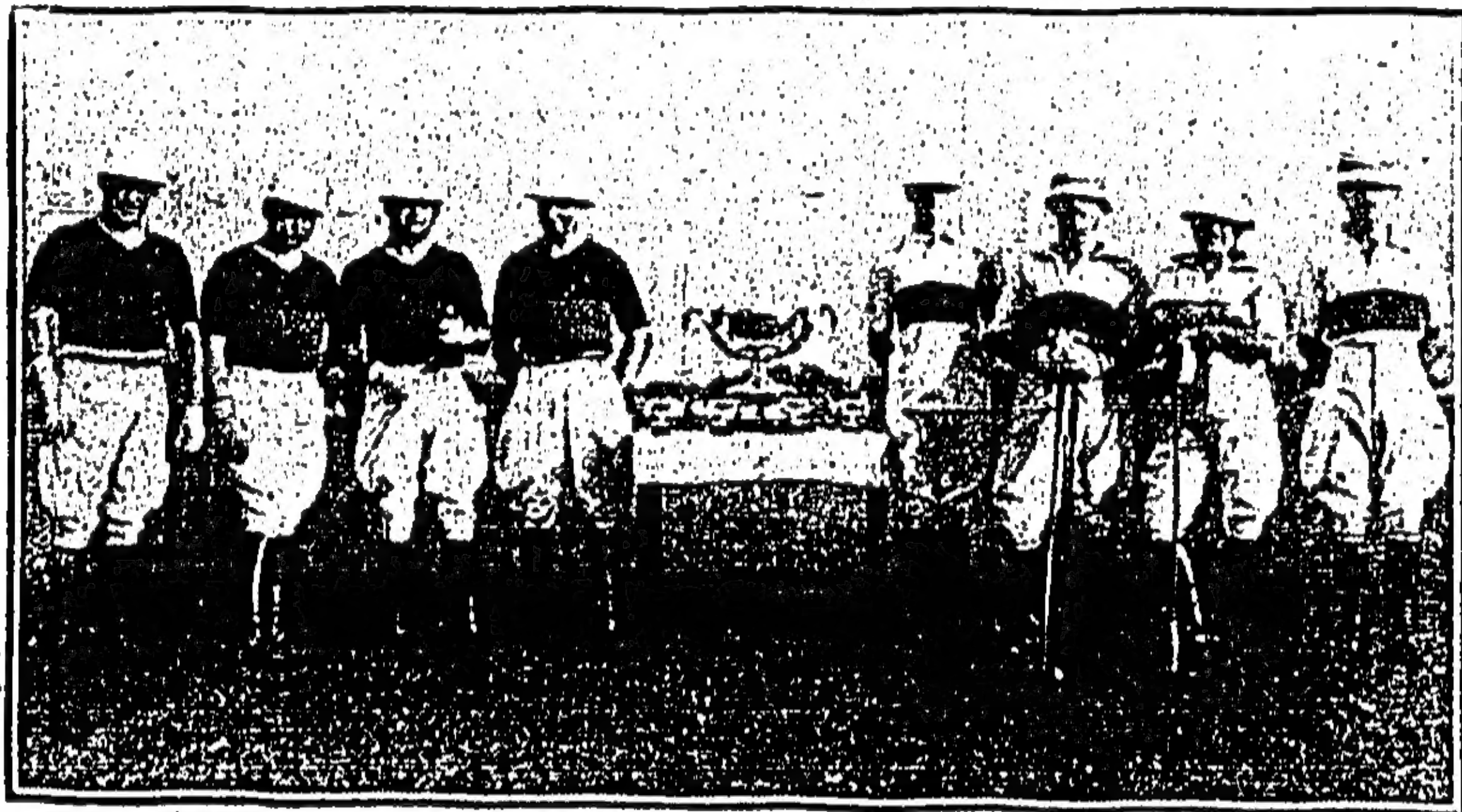
"Indeed! Where did you learn to cook?" she asked in a low voice. "Oh, in the woods. Spent a summer up north peeling bark for a medicine company when I was a kid. Fine training."

"You like the woods, don't you?" Eve asked, in spite of herself.

"I'll take you up north some time; see if you don't like it too," Dick said in answer. "I used to go up in the fall with a group of friends. But that was different. Then we stopped at a lodge and there were cooks to prepare the food. That was wonderful, too. But you never really learn the woods until you have to fend for yourself."

"How much did you pay for that cooker?" Eve demanded suddenly. When he told her she gasped.

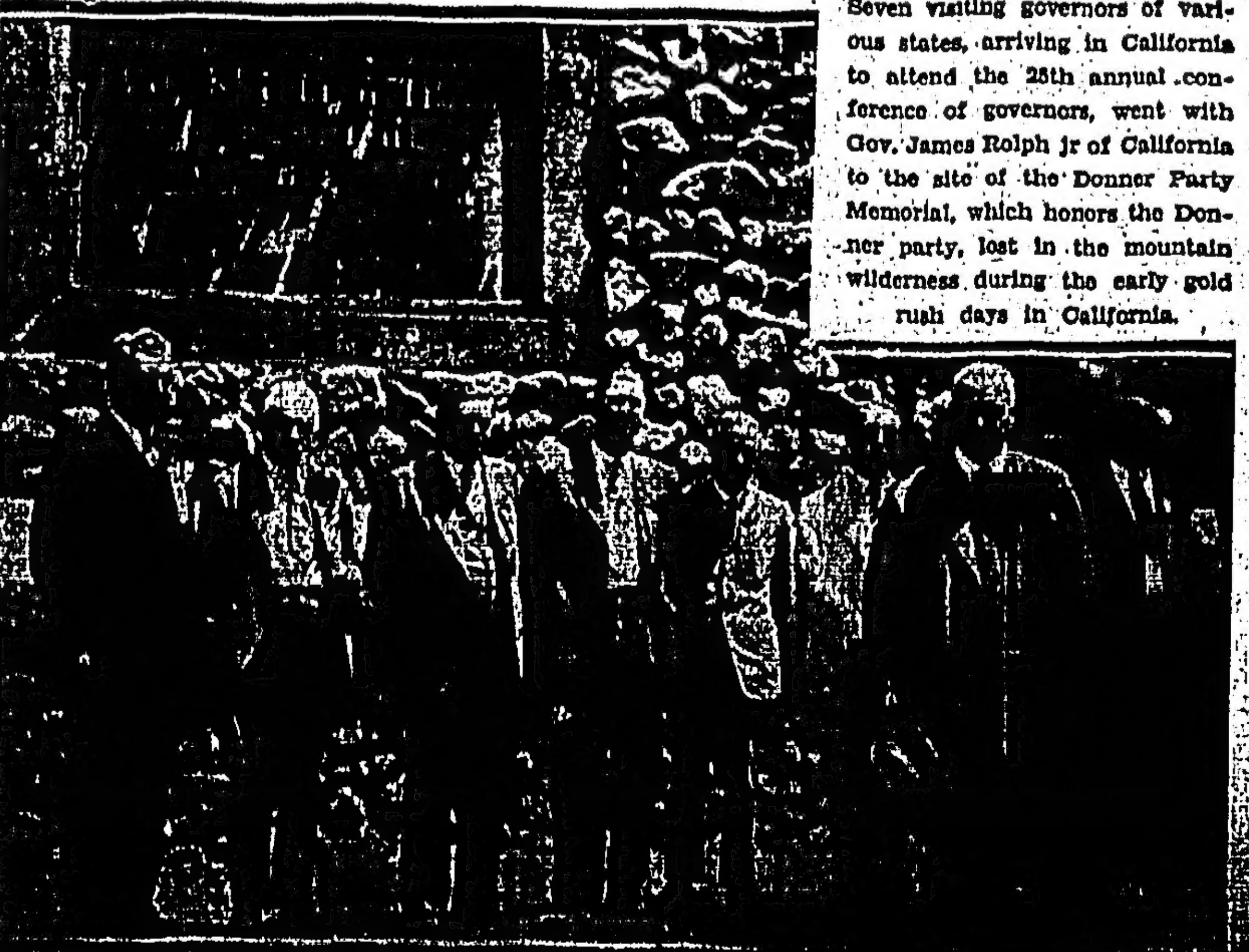
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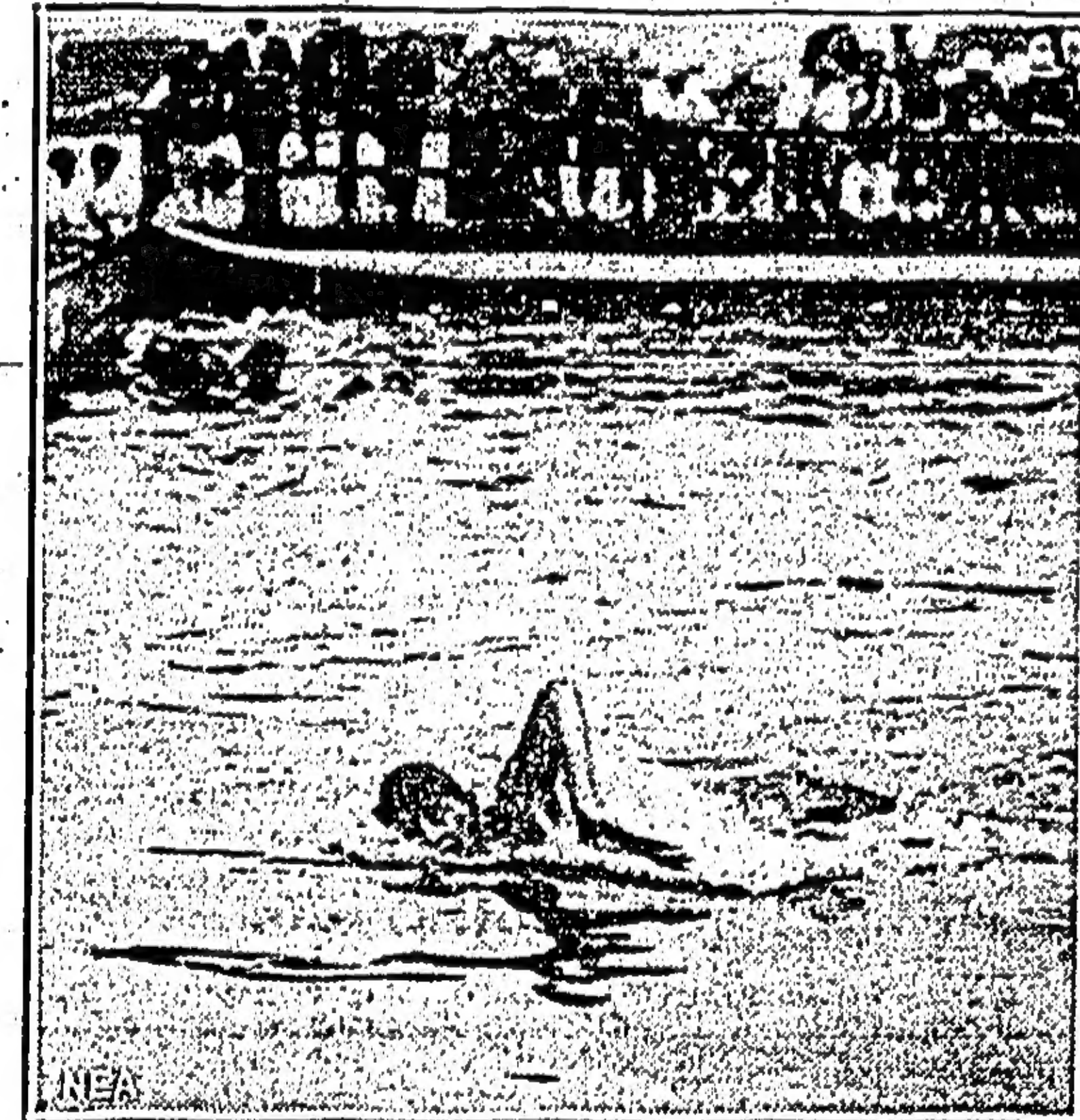
The Shanghai (left) and Hongkong Interport Polo fours who clashed at Kiangwan in the final of the Cup competition, Shanghai winning 11 to 1. The handsome trophy is shown above in the centre. The local team was composed of, left to right—Rodger, du Rivau, Franklin and Allman. Hongkong, left to right—Kaswick, Villar, Williams and Hope.



The monoplane Lithuania is shown soaring over New York city at the start of an attempted 4900-mile non stop flight to Kaunas, capital of Lithuania. Its two Lithuanian pilots, Capt. Stephen Darius, left and Stanley Girenas, right, of Chicago, were found dead in wreckage of plane in the woods near Soldin, Germany, after successfully crossing the Atlantic and completing 4,000 miles of the flight. Lack of fuel is believed to have caused the failure.



Seven visiting governors of various states, arriving in California to attend the 25th annual conference of governors, went with Gov. James Rolph Jr. of California to the site of the Donner Party Memorial, which honors the Donner party, lost in the mountain wilderness during the early gold rush days in California.

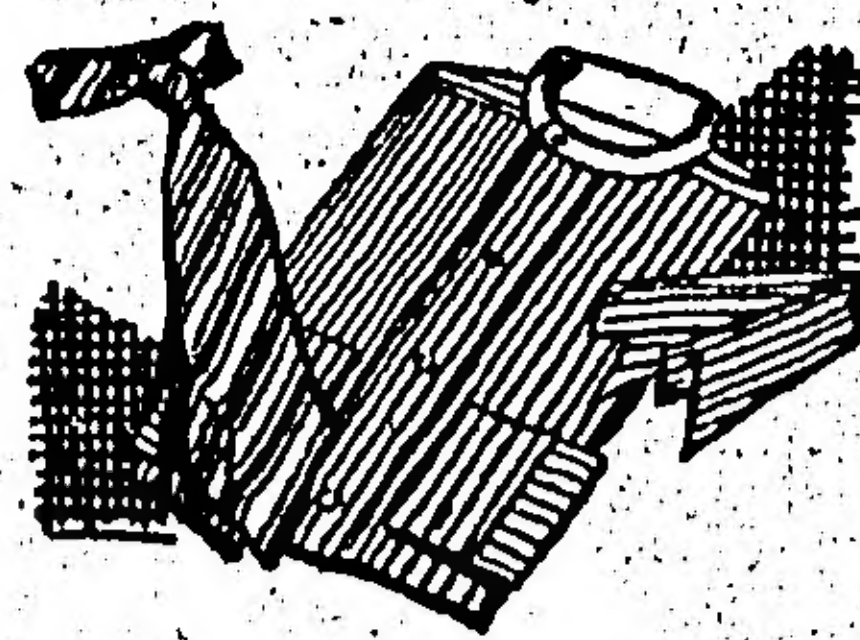


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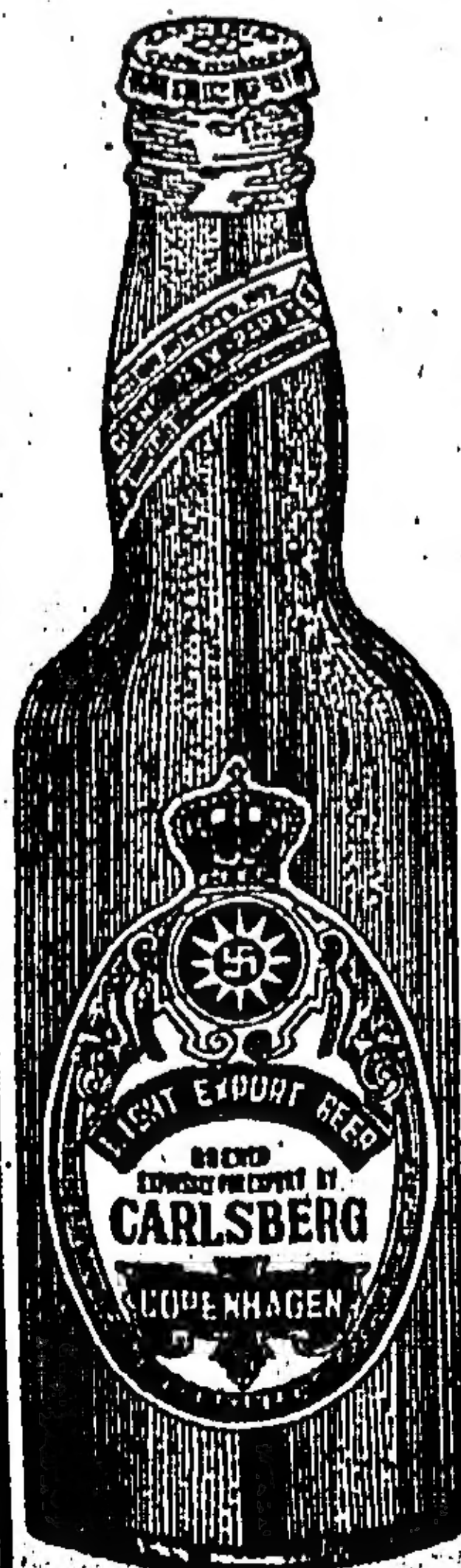
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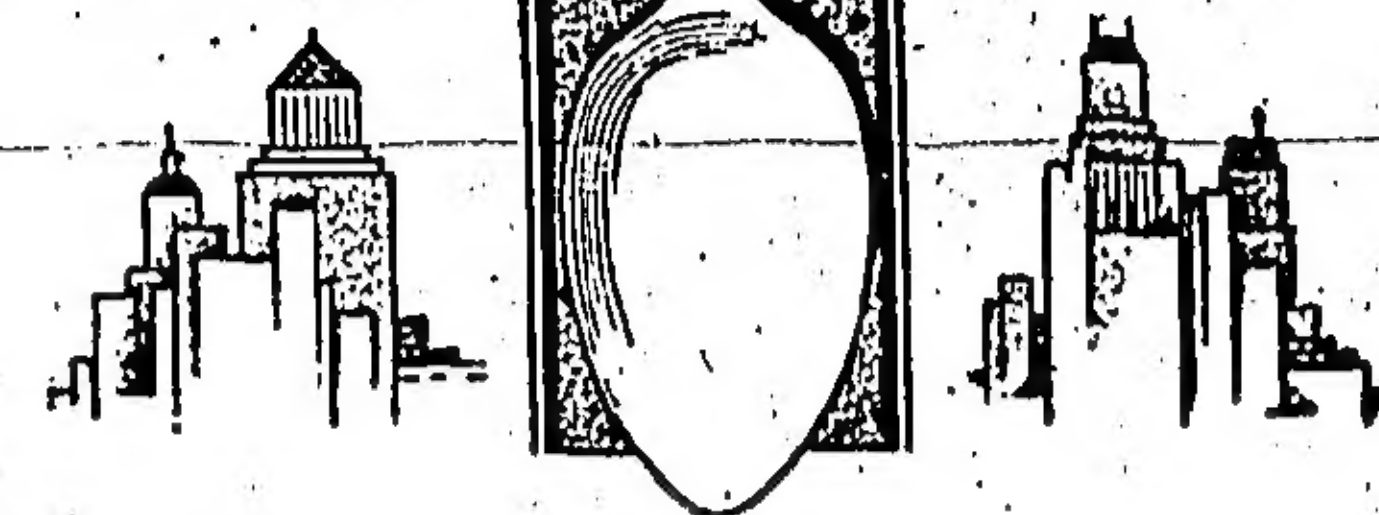
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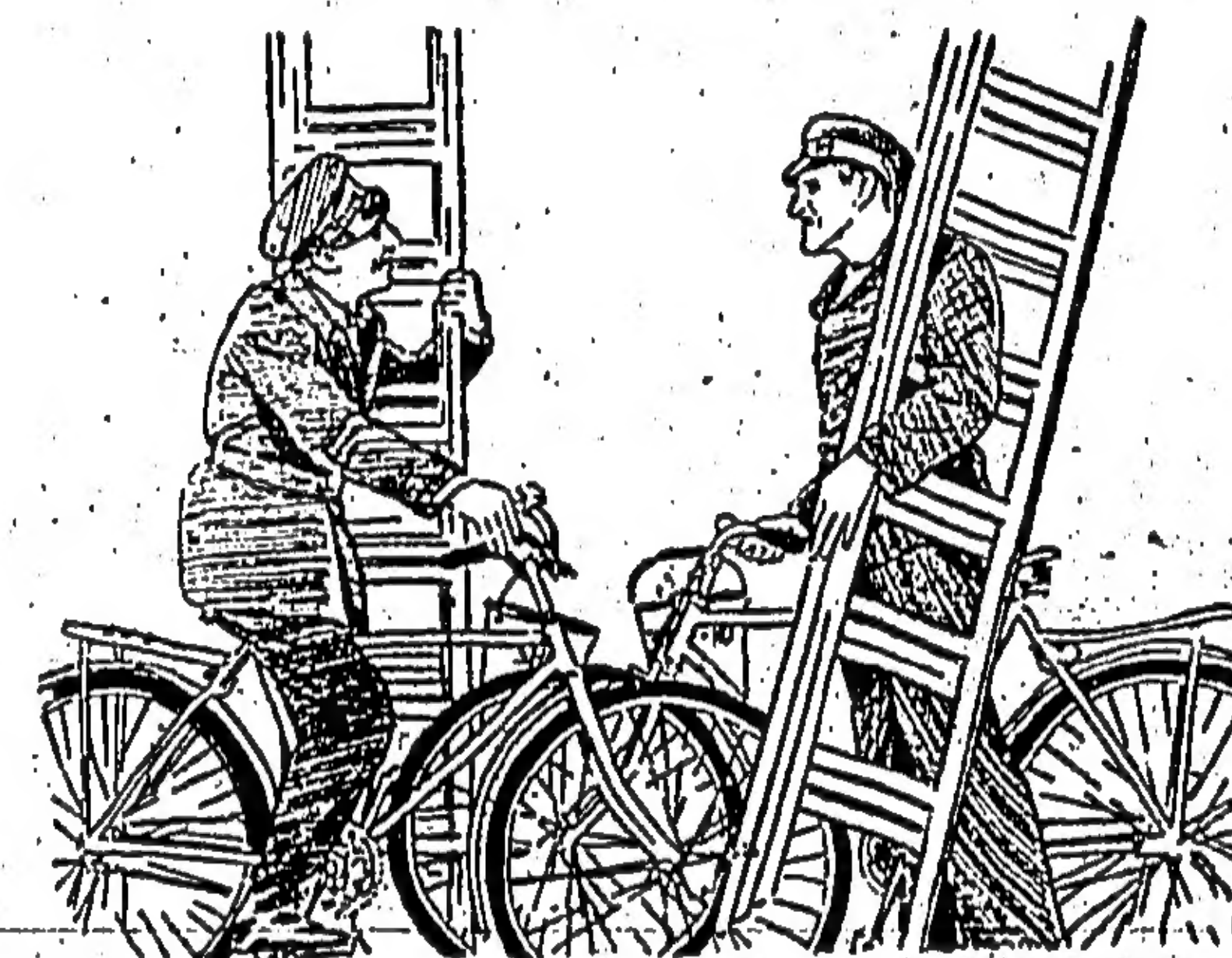
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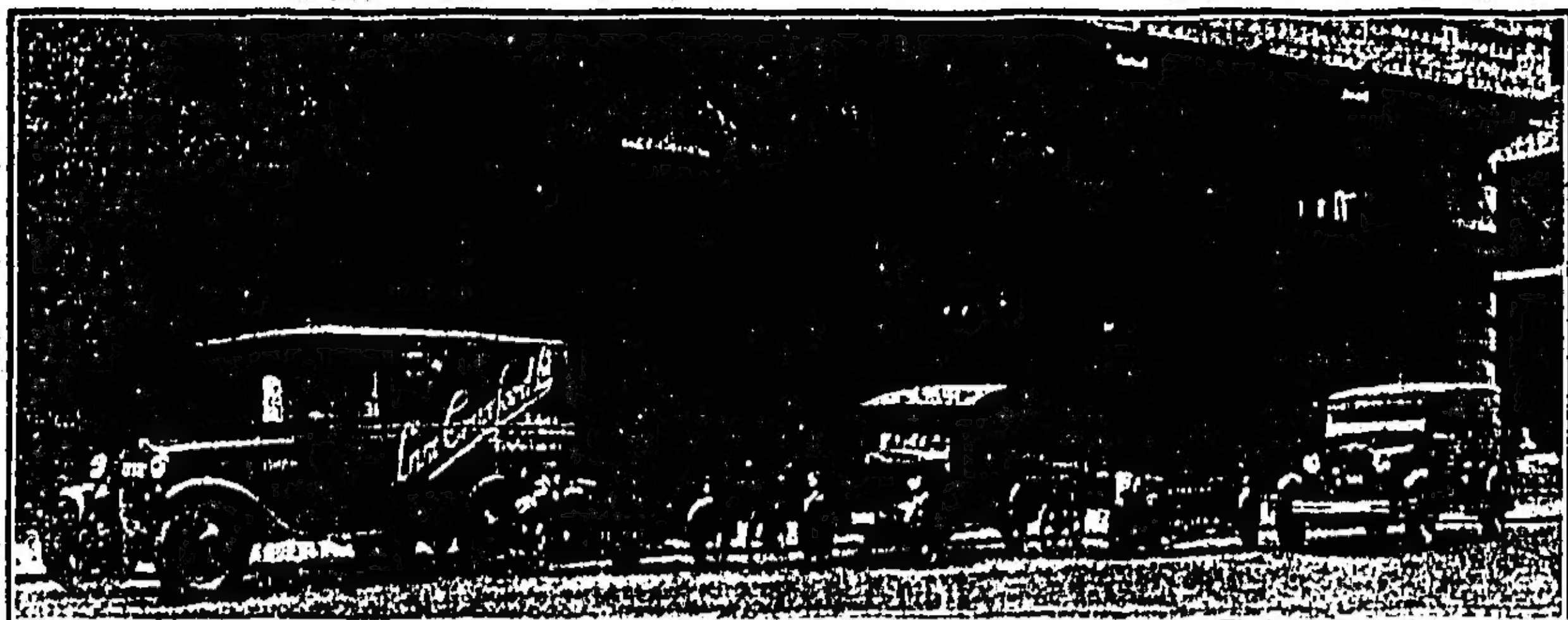
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| Chinese Bonds | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
|-------------------------|------------|------------|
| 4 1/2% Bonds 1898 | £102 1/4 | £102 1/4 |
| (Eng. Iss.) | £83 | £83 |
| 4 1/2% Loan 1908 | £81 | £81 |
| 6% Loan 1912 | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| 6% Recog. Loan | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| 1913 (Ldn. Iss.) | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| 5% Bonds 1925-47 | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| 5% Shai-Nanking | £40 1/4 | £40 1/4 |
| 5% Tient-Pukow | £22-27 | £22-27 |
| 5% Tient-Pukow | £17-22 | £17-22 |
| 5% Shai-Hang | £83-88 | £83-88 |
| 5% Honan Rly. | £12 | £12 |
| 5% Hukwang Rly. | £28 1/2 | £28 1/2 |
| 1911 | £11 1/2 | £11 1/2 |
| 5% Lung Tsing U. | £11 1/2 | £11 1/2 |
| Hai Rly. 1913 | £11 1/2 | £11 1/2 |
| Foreign Bonds and Banks | | |
| German 7% Int. | 77 | 77 |
| Loan 1924 | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| Japan 5% Sterling | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| Loan 1907 | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| Japan 6% Sterling | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| Loan 1924 | £80 1/2 | £80 1/2 |
| Associated Elec. | 21/- | 21/- |
| Industries | 111/10 1/2 | 111/10 1/2 |
| Brit.-Amer. Tob. | 30/0 | 30/0 |
| Chinese Eng. and | 59/3 | 59/3 |
| Min. | 40/7 1/2 | 40/7 1/2 |
| J. & P. Coats | 86/3 | 85/6 |
| Courtaulds | 34/9 | 34/7 1/2 |
| Distillers | 23/- | 27/10 1/2 |
| Everready | 44/- | 44/- |
| General Elec. | 94/6 | 94/6 |
| Guinness | 29/0 | 29/0 |
| Impl. Chem. In- | 108/- | 107/6 |
| dustry | 28/4 1/2 | 28/4 1/2 |
| Impl. Tobacco | £22 1/2 | £22 1/2 |
| Int. Tea Stores | 33/6 | 33/3 |
| Internat. Nickel | 37/6 | 37/6 |
| Pinchin Johnson | 27/0 | 27/6 |
| Turner & Newall | 16/- | 16/- |
| Unilever | 13/6 | 13/6 |
| Miscellaneous | £18 1/2 | £18 1/2 |
| Anglo-Dutch | 16/- | 16/- |
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| Rly. | 12/3 | 12/6 |
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| Trepan Mines | 39/4 1/2 | 40/- |
| Langkat | 47/6 | 48/0 |
| Estate | 80/3 | 87/0 |
| London Tin | £22 1/2 | £22 1/2 |
| Rubber Trusts | 55/7 1/2 | 55/7 1/2 |
| Shai. Elec. Constr. | | |
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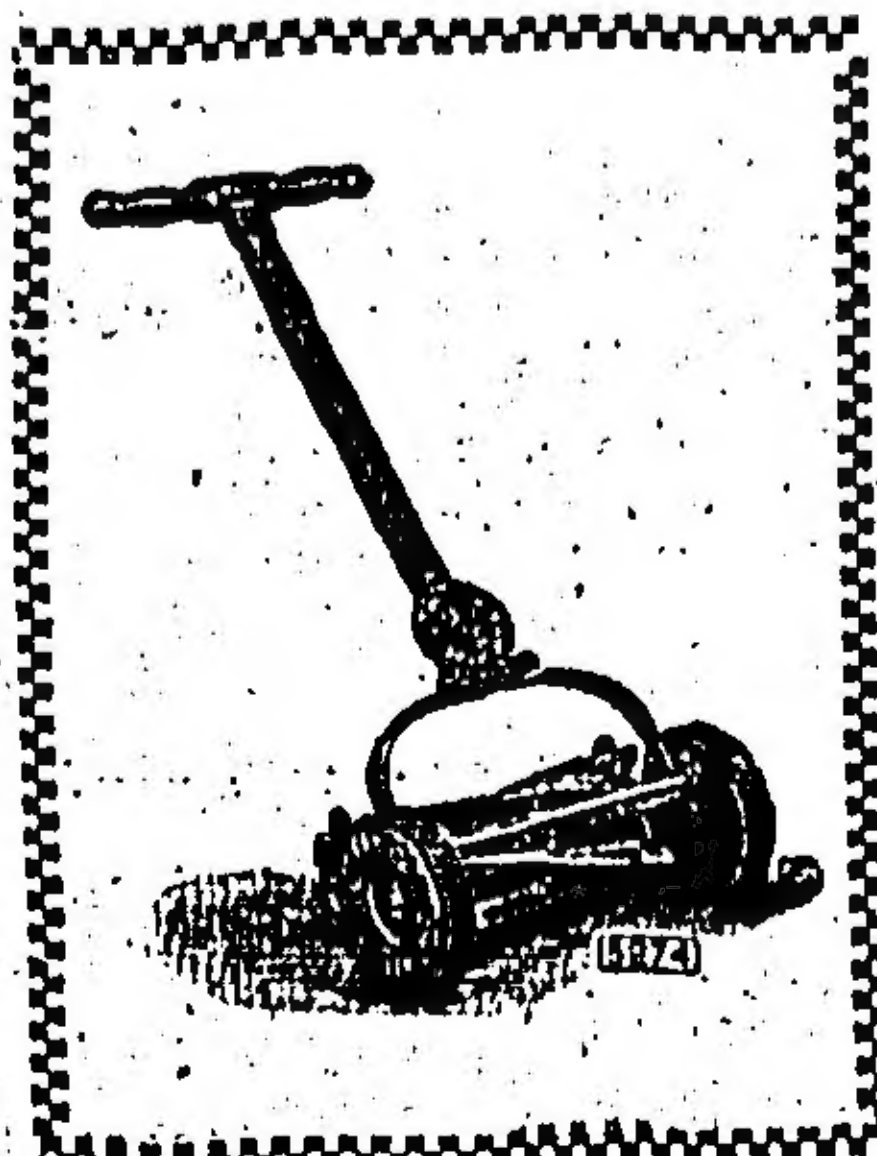
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BRITISH POLICY

The comparative quietness of political life in Britain would seem to suggest that the public are well satisfied with the policies of the National Government. Yet public opinion has moved far and fast since 1931. There are indications that it has moved much farther and faster than the Government. The thought of the nation has developed steadily in response to the march of events. To-day there is increasing consciousness of the fact that the remedies needed now are not merely different from those needed less than two years ago, but in some directions exactly opposite. Then it seemed that an essentially "conservative" policy was necessary to avert the consequences of Socialist finance. Economy became the fashion. Its spread caused a tightening of purses, a reduction of consumption, and so, of course, a further diminution of employment. The Bank of England was as cautious as the Treasury, and money, tightly held, ceased to fertilize industry. British financial credit was completely restored. But British industry was worse off. The difficulty is that a Government expressly appointed to carry out a policy of caution is not one peculiarly fitted to show daring and initiative. But daring and initiative are what British public opinion to-day demands. The feeling is that Britain is now in position to display these qualities in her policy both at home and abroad. The soundness of her finance being now amply demonstrated, many urge that she is strong enough to depart from methods of extreme caution. There are those who think that Britain should not wait for a rise of prices in America, but should give a lead to the world by forcing a higher price level among all countries on the sterling basis. The same current of feeling which is impatient with the essentially "conservative" policy at home leads also to strong criticism of a Government which is felt to be too conservative (in the political sense) in its policy abroad. There is no nation in the world which is more determinedly pacifist in its attitude to-day than Great Britain. But that attitude, it is felt has not been adequately expressed and the mystery of the "Four Power pact" has caused irritation. In regard to Japan, public opinion would have strongly supported the Government if it had taken up a much more emphatic attitude in its denunciation of the Manchurian war, and the threatening line adopted toward Russia met with by no means unanimous approval in the House of Commons. The Government certainly was not alone in the opinion that the Government's policy was too conservative.

NOTES OF THE DAY

DE VALERA'S BLUFF?

General O'Duffy has not been arrested despite his defiance of the Government on Sunday, when he addressed 12,000 Blue Shirts publicly. It looks like a very sad lapse on the part of the Government. President de Valera has established a sort of super-military law, under which anybody can be arrested on suspicion, and brought before an officer who is empowered to inflict any punishment from a shilling fine to the death penalty. There seems to be considerable scope between these two extremes for making the punishment fit the crime. But what is a crime in Ireland now-a-days? In the bad old days the law had a good deal more formality than it is to have now, and even the most drastic methods were not so summary as this. However, if the Irish like it this way, presumably they may have it. But there is always a suspicion, when these exceedingly drastic methods are adopted, that there is an inconvenient number of people who are opposed to the existing regime. Perhaps that explains why the Blue Shirt leader is still at large.

THE BATHING CLUBS

The immediate problem of the Chinese bathing clubs at North Point has been set aside by Government's announcement that the clubs are to be permitted to continue on the present yearly tenures. They would do well, however, to give consideration to the warning that the shipping and industrial development of the Colony must have first claim upon the area they occupy. We understand that a Permanent Committee has been forced by the clubs to consider the question when it again arises. It might be suggested that there is a much safer course open than that of waiting until notice to quit is served upon the clubs.

CHINA AND JAPAN

The constant talk in Japan of a coming rapprochement with China appears to lack solid foundation, unless it be expressed in terms of Tokyo's own desire to end the China adventure where it rests and concentrate upon other acute problems. When Mr. Wang Ching-wei succeeded Mr. Lo Wen-kan as Foreign Minister, temporarily, hopes were expressed that Japan would get what she wants, Mr. Wang being credited with ability to listen to reason. Apart from what "reason" might imply, those hopes have been damped by an informal statement from Nanking indicating that foreign policy do not express the personal attitude of the Minister but is subject to the sanction on the Supreme Council. This sounds a little discouraging, as friendly feeling towards Japan and a readiness to accept her proffered bargains is not very common in Kuomintang circles. Indeed, the Japanese General Staff, about Christmas last, was reported as issuing a statement that for the security of Japan, the Kuomintang must be destroyed.

THE HUANG FU TALK

It will also have been observed that the tendency to make much of the conversations between General Huang Fu and Mr. Ariyoshi has gradually faded away. The Tokyo Foreign Office expresses itself as satisfied with the result of the talk, but "Japan's policy is entirely dependent upon the attitude of China." The phraseology may mean nothing at all and it may mean quite a lot. In themselves, they seem to suggest that Mr. Ariyoshi could not permit himself to be easily deceived in his report to

DAKUWAQA THE SHARK GOD OF FIJI

LEGENDS WHICH HAVE BECOME
VITAL IN LIVES OF NATIVES

By B. J. HAMILTON

The waters surrounding the Fiji Islands are abundantly provided with fish of all kinds, and sharks of the shovel nose and hammer head varieties, are plentiful. These sharks are in truth veritable "tigers of the sea" and every year exact their toll of human life. But, formerly, when voyaging between the various islands was done in canoes, the loss of life was terrible.

On one occasion, when a great double canoe went to pieces a few miles off the passage into Suva harbour, only three were saved out of 150 passengers, though boats had put off from the shore to the rescue. All the rest were devoured by sharks. On another occasion, when a canoe from an outlying group of islands was wrecked on the south of Kadavu, about 200 lives were lost from a similar cause. Again half the population of Dravuni who had stayed in the canoes overnight inside the Solo reef, were caught in a sudden gale, and the next day the broken remains of their canoes were all that were left to tell the tale. Naturally terror and fear prevailed and the primitive Fiji sought for means of protecting the vessels which inhabited the waters and made his sea journeys fraught with extreme danger.

THE LEGEND.

Now this is the legend of Dakuwaqa or the Shark God of the Fijians. The wife of a Naitewa chief gave birth to a still born child, and the body was buried in a shallow grave on the bank of a creek. Soon after the body had been buried, a heavy fresh came down the creek, and the grave was washed away but the spirit of the child entered into a log which was rolled along by the flood until it stranded on the bar at the mouth of the river.

After a while, getting tired of inaction, the spirit passed over to a sand spit on the adjacent island and soon after, seeing a canoe approaching, entered a log that lay alongside an old earth oven. The canoe came alongside and the people took the log and used it as a roller on the slide to haul their vessel on to the shore. Next morning when the Fiji natives were launching their canoe, they heard a voice saying "Do you not know me?" and they began to jump around (Kurabuli) wondering where the voice came from. At length finding it proceeded from the log, they realized that a spirit must be concealed there, and they brought him to become their God. On his consenting they took the log and the enclosed spirit to the little islet off their own village and built a house (Bure) and placed the shrine a log behind a sacred Tapa screen.

Now under this islet is a cave called Qara Ni Kannea, with an entrance under water, though at low tides the top of the arch is bare, and in the centre of the islet is a hole leading down into the deep water of the cave, having on one side a small ledge awash with the tides, and they built the Bure Kalou (temple house) over this hole.

BECAME A SHARK.

Now sometimes the spirit, in response to incantations, would enter into the priest and give oracles, and sometimes he would appear on the mainland as a man, but he preferred above all to enter into the body of a huge shark who lived in the cave below his temple, and in this shape he roamed not merely the neighbouring seas and channels, but as far as the adjacent groups of Tonga and Samoa and was honoured and feared by all the dwellers in these islands as the great Shark God. He always fiercely resented any insult offered to himself or his priest, and when he caught the offenders at sea would

dash between their canoe and its outrigger, and bursting them asunder he would devour the hapless wretches as they fell into the water, always allowing one or two to escape and carry the news ashore, when great stores of food would be sent to his temple to appease his wrath, the priest always dropping the shark's share into the cave.

On one occasion, as any Naitewa native can vouch, he even drove a European offender's cutter ashore, and, letting the crew escape, devoured the white man, and put his severed hand on the little ledge in the cave, as it was Dakuwaqa's invariable custom to place part of the victim there, in order that the priest might know whether it was a European, half caste Tongan or Fijian who had been last sacrificed.

FRIENDLY WITH NATEWAS.

With Dakuwaqa's own people of Cakaudrove or Naitewa he was always friendly, and in their night raids he would swim in front of their canoes as pilot, so that they could steer safely to the desired point by the phosphorescence of his wake.

Dakuwaqa had the power of making himself into any size he liked, from two feet to forty, and was said to have a red back, while his belly was a glistening white. He also appeared occasionally as a water snake with distinctive black and white band markings.

Before setting down native stories relating to the Shark God, I would like to relate of an incident which happened to Mr. Colman Wall during the early period of his sojourn in Fiji. Seated with a European friend on a bluff on the island of Nakara, near Suva, below which lay a shallow reef which connects the island with the mainland, he saw a Fiji woman with her fishing net and basket entered the water from the opposite shore. It was a matter of daily occurrence as the people from the village of Maseu regularly use the reef for fishing as well as a ford, but what surprised these two watchers on the bluff above was to see a shark swimming behind the woman at a distance of five or six yards. The woman looked behind once or twice, and evidently saw the shark and the watchers expected a catastrophe. The woman waded on unconcernedly though the water at times was up to her armpits. At last, when the water became too shallow, the shark swam away, and the watchers went down to the beach and met the woman. She said she had seen the shark but was not the least afraid it would attack her as she said it was her Vu or ancestral spirit and it never was known to meddle with her people, but it was known to readily attack strangers.

This incident is touched upon and is related here to illustrate the state of the native mind on such matters.

TRUTH OF THE LEGENDS.

Most of the legendary stories of Dakuwaqa are very ancient, and merely state they are untrue is a crude way of getting out of difficulty. It is necessary to study the native mind and the effect of the play of fear and other strong emotions on that primitive mind before we can appreciate the circumstances adequately. The subconscious memory of the Fijian saturated with old legends, must also be understood, and last, but by no means least, the desire common alike to European and native to appear as a central figure in the limelight often tempts men to make themselves the hero of adventures, which they have heard from others, and which invariably have gathered to themselves new marvels as they have passed from mouth to mouth. In the early days of British administration in Fiji a Bui or native (Continued on Page 7.)

The Very Idea!

YOU CAD

By Edward Kelly, Bevonian

RAH! Rah! Rah!
We notice from the newspapers that the local schools and colleges commence their next terms in the middle of September.

How well we remember our dear old Alma Mater. How many times she spanked us because we used to wag it from Oxford, or when we were caught kissing the girls, Oxford in those days being a co-ed school.

We were born in Melbourne in 1904, and in 1906 we arrived in London, broke, and indebted to the P. & O. line for our board and room.

But we found our way out to Oxford, and immediately commenced our studies.

Editor: Impossible. You were only two years of age in 1906.
Eddie: There is a considerable difference of time between Melbourne and London.

Oxford turned out some brilliant men in '06. Those were the days when Bernard Shaw, W. G. Grace, Al. Jolson, and several well-known Hongkong taipans were in our class.

We remember the Wills' twins quite well, because in '07 we jugged for both W.D. and H.O.

In addition to turning out the brilliant men we have already mentioned, Oxford also turned us out.

We were expelled following a complaint by Professor Einstein, who informed the Head that we had written a treatise on the Darwinian theory when he asked for one on the Theory of Relativity.

Stories of our all-round athletic prowess at Oxford had appeared in all the papers, including the *Critic*, and we received tempting offers from Cambridge to desert the old Oxford campus.

We went to Cambridge, and stroked their crew to victory in the boat-race, but our heart was not in the game. Everywhere we went we came across Bovril and Oxo posters and advertisements to remind us of our old Alma Mammy.

Besides, Cambridge was not co-educational, and we longed for the company of the other sex.

Finally, we could stand it no longer. We were studying botany in the classroom one day when Professor H. G. Wells suddenly snapped at us:

"Attention, Kelly," he said, "In what part of the world do you find mangoes?"

"Where women goes," we answered promptly.

So we left, taking our Oxford bags, fraternity pins, and other relics with us.

In any case, we could not have held out much longer, because our chit account was stopped at the tuck shop.

The doors of Oxford and Cambridge closed to us, and the Public Schools beneath our dignity, you cads, there was only one thing left to do.

So we became a romittance man, immigrating to the colonies.

But our heart is still at Oxford. At night, as we lie under the stars, the sheep roaring around us, and the hyenas crawling into our sleeping bag for warmth, our minds often return to the old campus.

We can still see the gang—saving the day at the last minute on the cricket field, strolling into the speak-easies at the dead of night, and drinking their gin neat. Two-fisted he-men, who were quick on the draw as they reached to their hips for the flasks, and pink-kneed co-eds. Those were the days.

Alma Mammy! Mammy! We can almost hear the cheer leaders as they sway the yelling thousands at the cricket field:

"Oxford, Bovril, Bah! Bah! Bah!"

"This is the life in the RAW! RAW! RAW!"

WATER, WATER, WATER

This water shortage in Hongkong is really getting serious. What we mean is, if a man gets out of bed before 9 a.m., he's still got to take his bath. Why can't the authorities turn on the water while we're all at work?

There's another thing, too: Our headache was complaining about the lawn getting all hot and withered yesterday, so she rang up the water authority people about it.

"Now that these restrictions are in force, when do I put on my hose?" she asked.

"Madam," said the chap at the other end of the phone, "I would suggest that you put it on after your bath."

But perhaps we'd better not



NORDIC RACE
NONSENSEBERNARD SHAW'S
LATESTBLONDE BEASTS
OR BOSSES

Editor,
The Shanghai Times.
Sir,—I would like to venture to suggest that the enclosed copy of a letter from Mr. Bernard Shaw to Dr. Franz Halser is of sufficient interest to justify the further publicity of your columns. I may add that Dr. Halser is an eminent Austrian sympathiser with the Nazi idea in Germany but one who has evidently had some lurking doubt in regard to the ruthless methods of its administration. Hence presumably his request to Mr. Bernard Shaw for an expression of opinion, knowing no doubt that Mr. Shaw is never backward in these matters. Mr. Shaw's admission that there is no such thing as a Superman is also interesting and may be useful for future record.

INTERESTED.
Shanghai, August 24, 1933.
Dear Dr. Halser,—Do not waste your time on this pseudo-Nietzschean nonsense about a Nordic race. There is no such thing as the Nordic race; and very soon there will be no such thing as a race in the world except the race of the greyhound after the electric hare. Leave all that to the romantic and ignorant Americans, who happen to be, like myself, blonde and six feet high.

LEADERS OF MEN.

What there is, and probably always will be during one epoch, is the solid fact that out of every hundred persons only five at most will be capable of making decisions and giving directions. Whether the five are called Nordics, or blonde beasts, or simply bosses, does not matter a scrap. In Ireland my family called themselves "the Shaws" (as who would say "the Hohenzollerns"), but they contained the full normal percentage of human rank-and-file. It is pleasant for Hans and Fritz to imagine themselves Allerhochs, because they have flaxen hair and blue eyes; but most of them are being ordered about by hunched Hittites and blonde Philistines whose ancestors came from the south, not of the Baltic, but of the Dead Sea.

I have never taught "the biological gospel of a new racial aristocracy." My contempt for that disguise of simple snobbery is unbounded. I have declared steadily that what we need is a scientific test of human capacity (not of ability to pass examinations) and the classification of citizens into grades, the choice of rulers by the popular vote, or of Cabinets, by Parliament, being limited to members of the appropriate grades.

Until such a test is discovered we must insist on absolute equality of income. Without this iron basis real eminence has no chance of asserting or developing itself except by the rarest of strokes of luck. This is the secret of the importance and final indispensability of Socialism.

NO SUPERMEN.

There is no such thing as a Superman. There are super-mathematicians like Einstein, and super-playwrights like myself; but they are bungling amateurs in a dozen other departments of human activity. In the theatre I am my chauffeur's master; but in the garage he is mine. You write English better than 999 out of every 1,000 educated Englishmen; but in China, probably you would be the slave of an interpreter.

We shall never learn anything about the arts of government from writers like Marx and Nietzsche, who never had to govern anyone or administer a vote or a revenue. Lenin had very soon to tell his fellow-apostles of Marxism that there was not a clerk with ten years office experience who did not know more than they about practical business. It was my six years experience as a municipal councillor that enabled me to understand history. I know barely enough Gorman to understand the titles of your books, and nothing on earth would induce me to read one of them, though your letter is amusing enough to extract this answer from me on a very wet day in Stresa. Thank you for it.

Faithfully,
G. BERNARD SHAW.

During the week ended August 26, two cases of diphtheria with one death, 13 cases of typhoid (two imported) with two deaths, one case of meningitis, and two cases of purpuric fever with two deaths, were reported to the local health authorities. There was a clean bill of health in the Colony on Monday. Deaths from tuberculosis in the Colony last week numbered 11.

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SHARK GOD OF FIJI

(Continued from Page 6.)

minor chief sent in a report to the Native Department of how a Fijian, naked and exhausted had landed on the beach in front of his village and related to him the following story. "I, with two other Fijians, an Indian and the European we all worked for, set out from the Island of Tavuni in a sailing boat for Vanua Levu, and when six or seven miles off shore the boat was struck by a sudden squall and heeled over, and sank immediately. The Indian went down first and soon afterwards the European threw up his arms and disappeared. We three Fijians swam on to the reef but after a while we got separated and I never saw the others again. I swam on and on, but the rough seas broke in my face and the hot sun was right overhead, and I was beginning to feel very tired, when two pilot fish swam past me, and I gave myself up for lost, for on looking back over my shoulder I saw an immense shark following me. Instead of eating me he dived between my legs and lifted me on his back. I know it was Dakuwaqa. He swam on still carrying me until we were close to the reef, when he threw me ashore clear of the surf, and I managed to crawl up on the beach."

ANOTHER STORY.

Another story of the Shark God was related many years ago by an elderly native to Mr. Colman Wall as follows: "Many years ago, long before annexation I was captain of a cutter belonging to a European who lived in the Island of Tavuni, and as there is but little mangrove there, he sent me over to the large Island of Vanua Levu to cut some for firewood. So I took some boys with me, and we cut down the trees and loaded the boat. Towards nightfall when the work was finished we anchored the vessel in deep water and went ashore and had supper. After our meal, we prepared some (Yagrona) kava and sat round the (Tanda) kava bowl and commenced to sing. Now though the people of the district had turned Christian and the old temple of Dakuwaqa was in ruins, his priest still lived in the town, and still believed in the old gods. He sent us word like noises in the town after dark. I only laughed and told the boys to sing louder, which they did, and the priest sent us another message saying we would be sorry in the morning.

Now at dawn we went aboard and hoisted the mainsail, and tried to lift the anchor but could not. So I stripped and dived down to see what was wrong, but as I neared the bottom I saw a great snake coiled round the chain with his open jaws awaiting me, and being afraid I got back on board quickly. We tried to release the anchor but it was useless so at last, none the less, the singing of the night before I went down into the cabin and cut off two fathoms of new cloth and sent it ashore to the priest, asking that the god might be of a good mind to us. When the priest had taken the cloth he told the messenger to go back on board as the god was no longer angry. We anchor chain and it came in hand over hand, and we hoisted the jib and sailed home."

BOAT CARRIED AWAY BY
SHARK.

On another occasion in the same region a Fijian was sailing his canoe with several friends when a squall arose and the canoe was in difficulties. The Fijian captain thought it was a shallow patch they had struck but on looking to port and starboard there was deep water. On looking astern they saw the great shark's head with his tail stretched a fathom past the bow and the boat seemed to rest on his back. The shark took a turn round and came back with his head to the bow right under the boat, and turning belly up he grasped the vessel across the straits for nearly ten miles, and turned round and proceeded to pull the boat back to its starting place. At length towards sundown the old captain prayed to the god "Do as your will with these strangers who do not believe in you, but let me, who am one of your own people, go ashore in the boat in safety and I will promise you a root of kava." This prayer saved the situation for the shark let go of the boat and swam away. On arrival ashore the captain obtained a kava root and gave it to an old man to throw into the sea.

Stories and legends of the Shark God's adventures with Fijians are numerous throughout the Fiji and extend to neighbouring Islands of Rotumah, Samoa and Tonga, they always seem to accentuate the character of the shark's partiality to those who profess to believe that in him resides a spirit who can protect the lives of his worshippers.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY
THE THEATRES

The recent uncovering of a large organized auto-theft ring in northern New Jersey, near New York City, is said to have been the inspiration for the story of "The Devil is Driving," a drama which opens to-morrow at the Queen's Theatre. Edmund Lowe, Wynne Gibson, James Gleason, Louis Wilson, Dickie Moore and Allan Dinehart play leading roles in the picture.

The film centres around a gang of car thieves, who use an apparently legitimate garage as a centre of their efforts. To it they drive stolen cars, rebuild them, and resell them. A similar racket was worked by the Jersey gang. A garage was the centre of their efforts, too. Stolen cars were driven into it. The manager, a member of the gang, presented the usual identification ticket to the drivers, who then disappeared. After 30 days, the manager exercised his legal right to sell the cars for storage. That's where the gang took its profit. But he slipped up. He forgot that the law compels garage managers to report the fact that cars have been left unclaimed on their premises for a lengthy period. The police have the privilege of checking on such cars, to find out whether or not they have been reported stolen, before the garage sells them.

Because of the slip, the whole gang is now thinking the matter over in jail. Edmund Lowe, central figure in "The Devil is Driving" is cast as an easy-going, wisecracking mechanic, who pays little attention to the illegal aspects of the gang's operations. That is, he does until the gang proves responsible for the serious injury of his young nephew, and later for the brutal murder of the boy's father, who had demanded a showdown. Then, Lowe, assisted by Wynne Gibson, goes on a rampage that brings the film to a breathless, dramatic climax.

"Cynara"
An Englishman who looks like an Italian, talks like an American and is built like an Indian. A thumbnail portrait of Ronald Colman, returning again to the screen as the King's Theatre to-day in King Vidor's "Cynara," is thus drawn by his closest friend, Richard Barthelmess.

The describe the famous star in seventeen words and to achieve so complete a portrait as this is no mean feat. Colman himself likes to feel that he is a cosmopolitan. English traditions are deeply imbedded in his nature and colour his outlook on life, but his intellect leaps sharply to internationalism.

In his own case, Colman has so far declined to make an artificial gesture toward American naturalisation. He sees no point in it in his own case. If there is a reason strong enough then it is the thing to do, he says.

But Colman is a deep respect and an intelligent love for his homeland. He was born in England, educated there, spent his boyhood and his youth there, and fought for her in the World War—these are things not easily brushed aside by the simple gesture of naturalisation.

If a sculptor should seek a model for the ideal man of the world in the cosmopolitan actor, Ronald Colman would come as close to it as possible in a world that is getting so scrambled that it is almost impossible to tell the parcels from the green onions.

"Skyscraper Souls"
The one-hundred-and-two-story building conceived by Director Edgar Selwyn for "Skyscraper Souls," which will be screened at the Oriental Theatre to-day and Thursday, contains all the features found in the modern skyscraper. All the action in the new film takes place in this tremendous steel structure. Selwyn first shows the separate dramas taking place in various parts of the building—schemes, intrigues, the striving of men and women for and against each other—then suddenly he enmeshes them in one all-embracing dramatic climax.

In the basement of the skyscraper are Roman baths. The ground floor houses a bank, a drug store, smart shops. Taking one of many elevators to the upper levels, one may alight at a store, a broker's office to ascertain the latest stock market quotations, and continue to his office after first stopping at another floor to purchase some piece of jewellery from a diamond merchant.

The filming of "Skyscraper Souls" entailed a great deal of technical and engineering work to supplement the routine of the art and construction departments of the studio. Scorable in many instances are of a more subtle nature than usual, and the camera department designed special travelling cranes, perambulators and other devices for lifting the cameras.

"To-night is Ours"
Winning honours is nothing new for Frederic March, who recently was given the highest that the motion picture industry has within its power to bestow—the award of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences for the best performance of the year. He is here acquiring one honour after the other ever since he started school.

COTTON, WHEAT
AND SILVERLATEST NEW YORK
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

| Cotton. | | |
|----------|-------------|-------------|
| | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
| | Closing | Closing |
| | Range | Range |
| October | 9.02-9.03 | 9.03-9.05 |
| December | 9.81-9.83 | 9.82-9.84 |
| January | 9.94-9.96 | 9.95-9.97 |
| March | 10.07-10.07 | 10.07-10.07 |
| May | 10.24-10.26 | 10.25-10.28 |
| July | 10.36-10.36 | 10.31-10.31 |
| Spot | 0.05 | 0.05 |

| Wheat. | | |
|--------|------------------|------------------|
| | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
| | Chicago Winnipeg | Chicago Winnipeg |
| Sept. | 87 1/2 | 84 1/2 |
| Oct. | 71 1/2 | 70 1/2 |
| Nov. | 91 1/2 | 88 1/2 |
| Dec. | 91 1/2 | 88 1/2 |
| May | 10.24-10.26 | 10.25-10.28 |

| Silver. | | |
|-----------|----------|----------|
| | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
| September | 36.50 | 37.15 |
| October | 37.21 | 37.77 |
| March | 38.07 | 38.65 |

Total sales for the day:
7,625,000 ozs. 8,776,000 ozs.
(305 Contracts) (351 Contracts)

EXCHANGE RATES

| | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Paris | 81.7/16 | 81.7/16 |
| Geneva | 10.47 1/2 | 17.50 |
| Berlin | 13.30 | 13.38 1/2 |
| Helsinki | 22 1/2 | 22 1/2 |
| Oso | 10 1/2 | 10.00 |
| Athens | 5.55 | 5.55 |
| Milan | 60.7/16 | 60 1/2 |
| Buenos Aires | 43 1/2 | 43 1/2 |
| Shanghai | 1/2.15/16 | 1/3 |
| New York | 4.53 | 4.54 |
| Amsterdam | 7.90 1/4 | 7.92 |
| Vienna | 30 | 30 |
| Prague | 107 1/2 | 107 1/2 |
| Madrid | 38 1/2 | 38 1/2 |
| Bucharest | 540 | 537 1/2 |
| Hongkong | 14 1/4 | 14 1/4 |
| Brussels | 22.85 | 22.84 1/2 |
| Stockholm | 10.37 1/2 | 10.37 1/2 |
| Lisbon | 106 | 105 |
| Yokohama | 1/6.1/16 | 1/6.1/16 |
| Montevideo | 35 | 1/2.5/10 |
| Montreal | 4.70 1/4 | 35 1/2 |
| Silver (spot) | 17.15/16 | 4.77 1/4 |
| Silver (forward) | 17.15/16 | 18 1/4 |
| War Loan | | |

—British Wireless.

WATER POLO VICTORY.

South Wales Borderers Win
Area Competition.

ARTILLERY OUTPLAYED.

The final of the Units Knock Out Water Polo Competition, organised by the Hongkong Area Sports Board was played at the Y.M.C.A. yesterday.

The South Wales Borderers met the Royal Artillery and routed them by six goals to nil. At half time the winners had scored three goals without reply, and continued their overwhelming play after the resumption.

League Match.

The Lincoln Regiment defeated the Small Units by 4-0 in a water polo league game yesterday at the Y.M.C.A.

The fortnightly meeting of the Sanitary Board was held yesterday afternoon in the Board Room with Mr. T. Megarry, the President, in the chair. Others present were the Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tickle, Vice-President, Dr. G. W. Pope, M. O. H., Mr. A. S. MacKiehan, Mr. C. J. Roo, secretary, and Mr. Ng Mui-kai, assistant secretary. The business was purely formal.

wood. James Cruze was planning to use in "Old Ironsides" and Herbert Bronson all but promised me the leading role in "Beau Geste." I was a green kid from the country, just an ordinary appleknocker, but two great directors were making a fuss over me.

"Say, was I riding on air? I could feel my head getting bigger and bigger when the train stenographer came into my car calling 'telegram for Mr. Rogers.' It was from Cruze and it read 'Sorry, but I've selected Charles Farrell.' Was I shocked? Not a bit. That meant I was going to play 'The Beau' for Bronson and that was the role I really wanted.

"Then, as the train rushed across the prairie of my native state, on the second day out, I received a telegram. It was from Bronson and read: 'Have decided on Ronald Colman for 'The Beau.' Say, I was so low that I was a thousand feet below sea level. I slipped through Kansas City, hiding out until the train started for Chicago.

"Heavy of heart I returned to Hollywood to learn that instead of getting my walking papers, I had been cast for the lead in 'Wings.' Clara Bow made 'Wings,' but 'Wings' made Buddy Rogers. Rogers' latest is the featured role in the Fox film, 'Best of Enemies,' in which he plays opposite Marian Nixon. It comes to the King's Theatre next Sunday.

"Laughter in Hell"
Jim Tully, whose latest realistic drama, "Laughter in Hell," has been

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4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.
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7-7.17 p.m.
Capriccio Italien (Italian Caprice) (Tchaikowsky, Op. 46).
Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 6949/60
7.17-8.20 p.m. Variety.
8 p.m.
(Local Time and Weather Report).
Orchestra—Honolulu Moon.
Orchestra—Hawaiian Dreams.
Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra. B2497.
Plano Solo—You've Got me Crying Again.
Plano Solo—Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp Medley.

Rale da Costa. B4463.
Orchestra—I'm Playing with Fire.
Orchestra—Sittin' in the Dark.
John Jackson and His Orchestra. B6322.
Humorous Song—Foolish Facts.
Humorous Song—What Kind of a Noise Annoys an Oyster?
Frank Crumit. B3883.
Orchestra—The Church Bells Chiming.
Orchestra—Spanish Gypsy Dance.
Marek Weber and His Orch. B6233.
Vocal Trio—Somebody Loves You.
Vocal Trio—Too Many Tears.
Orchestra—You Will Remember Vienna.
Orchestra—I Bring a Love Song.
Leo Reisman and His Orch. B5944.
Song—Lover of my Dreams.
Noel Coward.
Orchestra—Twentieth Century Blues.
New Mayfair Novelty Orch. B4001.
Orchestra—Smile, Darn Ya, Smile.
Orchestra—I'm Crazy 'Bout my Baby.
Snooks and His Memphis Stompers. B2662.

8.20-9 p.m.
Concert Waltzes.
Estudiantina (Waldteufel).
The Skaters (Waldteufel).
International Concert Orch. 35708.
Unrequited Love (Lincke).
My Love (Strauss).
International Concert Orch. C1838.
Wine, Women and Song (Strauss).
Moonlight on the Alster (Fetras).
Marek Weber and His Orch. C1407.
My Darling Waltz (Strauss).
Berlin State Opera Orch. C1942.
Danube Waves (Ivanovitch).
Artist's Life (Strauss).
Marek Weber and His Orch. C2267.
9-9.30 p.m.
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from Daventry of the recorded Dance Music followed by a Pianoforte Recital by Cecil Dixon and the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra conducted by Sir Dan Godfrey and Mr. Gerald Crawford. Livio Mannucci (Violoncello) Relayed.
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10.30-11 p.m.
To-day's 10 a.m. Opening Stock and Commodity Quotations as received from New York by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.
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ing at the Central Theatre is one of the most picturesque figures in American literature.
The stocky, red-headed Irishman, from a vagrant prize fighter almost overnight became one of America's most widely discussed authors and the most searching analyst of Hollywood.

Born in St. Mary's Ohio, Tully spent much of his youth in an orphanage, growing up to learn and understand the people whom he later described in his "Beggars of Life." Living as a "hobo" for years he secured the first hand knowledge of the poverty classes which his books deal with. Rupert Hughes gave him his first encouragement in Hollywood and his protego proceeded to startle the literary world with his "Jarnegan," before turning to writing for the screen. "Circus Parade," "Beggars of Life," "Fanning Strangers" and "Way of a Sailor" have placed him in the van of screen writers, and his colourful style have made Tully the highest paid interviewer of picture stars. He has also appeared as an actor in several plays, including his own "Way of a Sailor" with John Gilbert.

"Laughter in Hell" which tells the true story of the chain gangs, is based upon first hand information, and is said to be the most searchingly realistic thing Tully has ever done. Pat O'Brien, Merna Kennedy, Gloria Stuart, Tom Brown and Berton Churchill are featured in the powerful picture.

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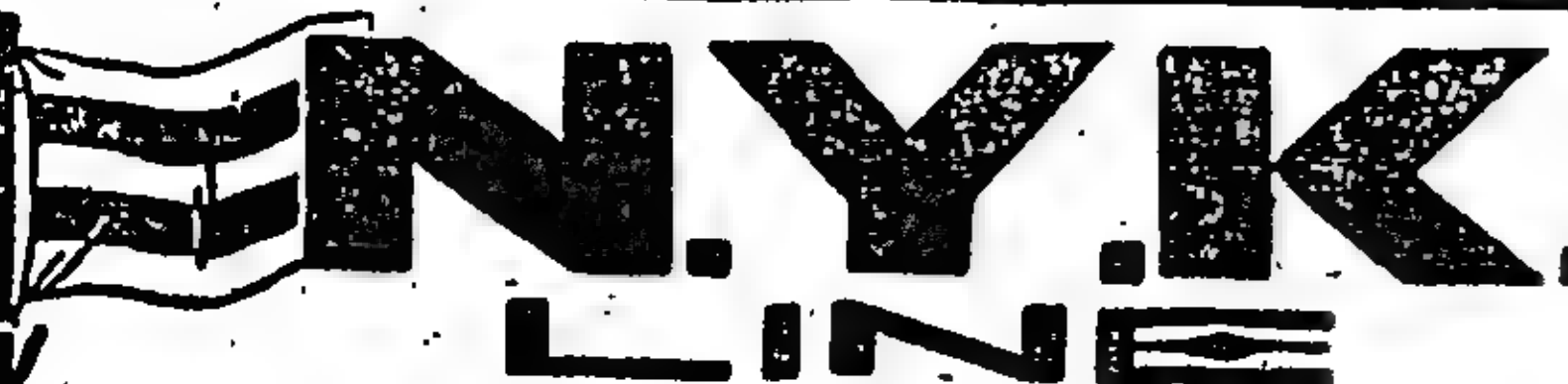
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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

Cue bidding—that is, the bidding of a suit previously bid by an opponent in order to show control of, or no losers in, that suit—can easily be overdone.

When properly employed it is a valuable asset in contract bidding, but it should only be made when you have especially good support in the suit previously bid by your partner and control of a side suit. In other words, you are inviting a slam if your partner has control of the other suit.

To make a cue bid otherwise only directs the opponents how to attack the hand. In other words when you make a cue bid you show utter contempt for anything that the opponents may lead.

The following hand, which was given to the writer by that great contract player, Waldemar von Zedtwitz, past president of the American Bridge League and donor of the National Masters' Pair Trophy which is played for annually at Asbury Park, N. J., gives an example of correct cue bidding and also involves a neat pseudo-squeeze on the third trick.

The Bidding
South was the dealer and passed, as did West. North opened the

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| <p> ♠ K-Q-9-7-4 ♥ Q-9-6-3 ♦ A-K-9-2 ♣ None </p> | <p> NORTH ♠ A-6 ♥ J-8-4-2 ♦ Q-8 ♣ 9-8-5-3-2 </p> | <p> EAST ♠ A-K ♥ 10-7-5 ♦ J-7-6-3 ♣ K-J-6-4 </p> | <p> SOUTH ♠ J-10-8-5-3-2 ♥ None ♦ 10-5-4 ♣ A-Q-10-7 </p> |
|--|--|--|--|

bidding third hand with a bid of one spade. East overcalled with two hearts.

South was now in a position to make a nice cue bid—he had plenty of support for his partner's suit and had control of the club suit. So his proper overcall was three hearts. West doubled to show some high card strength. North showed his diamond control by bidding four diamonds.

South bid five spades to show that something more than the ace of diamonds was needed to make a slam. North, with his ace and king of diamonds, was justified in going to six spades.

The Play
East opened with king of hearts, which was trumped in dummy. A spade was returned, West winning with the ace. East discarding a heart. West returned a spade and East faces quite a problem.

He cannot discard a heart or the declarer will set up a good heart on which to discard a losing diamond. In face of the diamond suit showing in dummy, it does not look safe to discard a diamond.

The safest play appears to be to drop a club, and this is the play that is fatal to East and West, as the declarer has only to ruff two clubs and he has two more cards with which to squeeze East.

As the hand lies, if East had discarded a diamond, it would have been possible to defeat the contract.



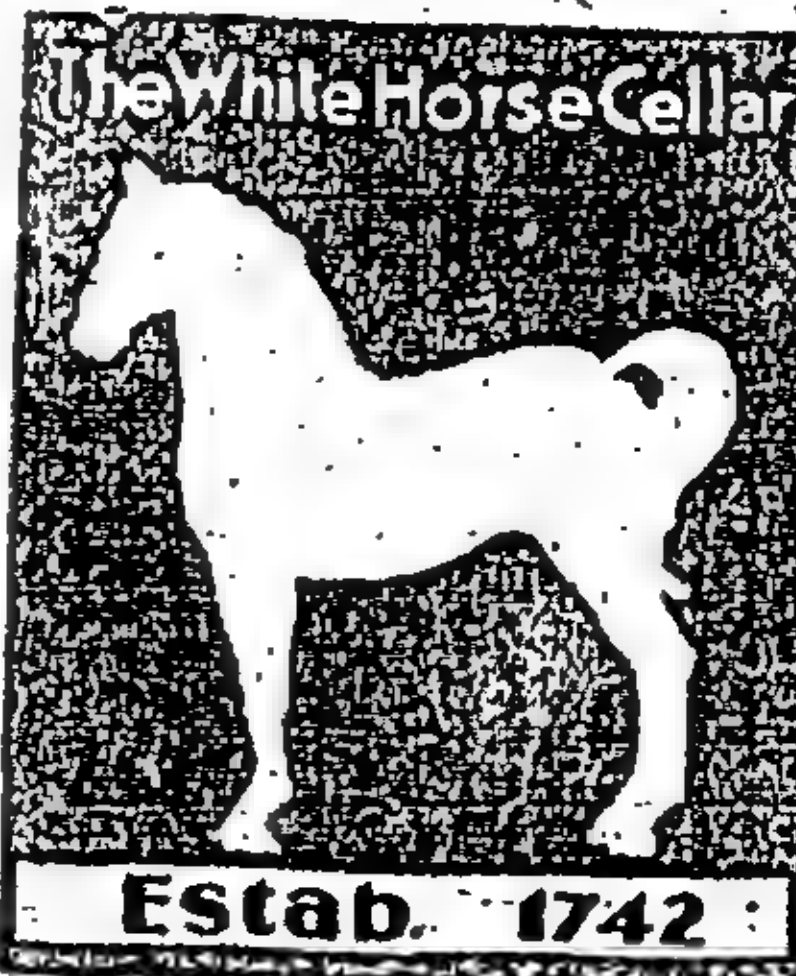
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GENEROUS GIFT

\$70,000 TO THE ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE

CHAU YUE-TENG MEMORIAL

Seventy thousand dollars have been donated to the St. John Ambulance Brigade by the family of the late Mr. Chau Yue-teng.

This highly generous gift will permit the building of a headquarters building for the Brigade, filling a long-felt need, and has been made with this specific purpose in view.

In an official communication, the Commissioner of the St. John Ambulance Brigade "has the honour to announce the gift of \$70,000 made by Mr. Chau Yue-teng on behalf of the family of the late Mr. Chau Yue-teng for the purpose of defraying the cost of the erection of a Brigade Headquarters Building in which the memory and philanthropy of the late Mr. Chau Yue-teng will be suitably commemorated, and the generous donation from the family adequately acknowledged."

FOUGHT IN BATTLE OF JUTLAND

Death of Rear-Admiral Sanders

(Our Own Correspondent).

London, Aug. 29. Engineer Rear-Admiral William Cory Sanders, who took part in the Battle of Jutland, has died at the age of 65.

Rear-Admiral Sanders had a distinguished war career, being awarded the D.S.O., and Mentioned in Despatches. He was also given the Russian Order of St. Stanislas. In 1928 he was created C.B., and he retired from the Royal Navy in 1926. In 1921 he married Marjorie, the widow of Mr. John Austin Wheeler.

WHEAT AGREEMENT

THE ARGENTINE SIGNS

Buenos Aires, Aug. 30. The Argentine Government has

UNIFIED POLICE CONTROL

BIG HOME OFFICE SCHEME

COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE

London, Aug. 30.

The shake-up in the Metropolitan Police is likely to be followed by a national scheme for closer co-operation between the various police forces of the country.

The scheme is being launched by the Home Office and a committee is being formed under the chairmanship of Mr. A. L. Dixon, of the Home Office, whose deliberations may mean the institution of regional centres in different parts of the country on the lines of Scotland Yard.

A YEAR'S STUDY.

The committee, which will be divided into sub-committees is expected to occupy twelve months in research into the training of police, communications between branches and police records, and the scientific investigation of crime.

Evidence will be taken in various provincial centres on methods of dealing with crime and there is the possibility that the investigation will be extended to Continental methods, with a view to international co-operation. —*Reuter.*

GERMAN BANK CRISIS SEQUEL

BIG WOOLLEN FIRM OWNERS CHARGED

Bremen, Aug. 29.

A trial which is likely to last for several months opened here to-day when the brothers, Carl and Heinz Lahusen, joint owners of the huge Nordwolle woolen concern, on charges of responsibility for the failure of the company in 1931, which precipitated the bank crisis of that year.

Fraud and falsification are alleged and it is also alleged that the brothers had secret banking accounts. —*Reuter.*

TWO MILLION MEN IN WORK AGAIN

General Johnson's Claim

Washington, Aug. 30.

General Hugh Johnson, the National Recovery Administrator, estimates that two million men have been re-employed as a result of the recovery drive. —*Reuter.*

TWO COTTON FIRES IN GERMANY

AN EXTRAORDINARY COINCIDENCE

Berlin, Aug. 30.

A big warehouse fire at Bremen last night caused the destruction of 2,500 bales of raw cotton.

Another fire at Viersen in the Rhineland caused the destruction of a thousand bales of raw cotton. —*Reuter.*

THE TYPHOON

The Royal Observatory reports that a weak anticyclone area covers Japan and the Pacific to the eastward; another is indicated to the North of the Yangtze Valley. A depression is also indicated to the south of the Yangtze Valley.

WORLD DISTANCE RECORD

5,657 Miles Credited to Codos and Rossi

Paris, Aug. 29.

The French Aero Club have accepted as accurate the estimate of the distance flown by Rossi and Codos in their flight from New York to Rayak, Syria, as 5,657 miles, 589 yards.

They have thus beaten the Gayford and Nicholletts record of 5,340 miles by 317 miles. —*Reuter.*

SIX LAHKS FOR P.W.D.

NEW EXPENDITURE CONTEMPLATED

ROAD REPAIRS A FEATURE

A resolution approving further expenditure totaling \$631,658 on works recommended by the Director of Public Works will be submitted to Legislative Council to-morrow by the Colonial Treasurer.

The sum involved concerns entirely new expenditure, being supplementary to the Estimates approved in the annual Budget.

Over \$60,000 is to be spent on mechanical bitumen sprayers and new wireless and radio telegraph equipment. Provision in the Budget for repairs and improvements to buildings totals \$236,000. A further \$60,000 is to be spent on work of this kind.

ROAD IMPROVEMENT.

One lakh is to be spent upon the provision of Senior Officers' Quarters in May Road and an Upper Levels Police Station, and \$82,370, in addition to \$150,000 already authorised is to be spent on road improvement and development in Hongkong. The work in progress on the 100-foot road between Causeway Bay and Ming Yuen is to be speeded up.

KOWLOON'S SHARE.

Kowloon will get the benefit of a large share of the supplementary expenditure. The Shatin Causeway-Taiipo Road is to be resurfaced at a cost of \$70,000, port works at Kowloon are to cost \$50,000, a Kowloon Hospital Outpatients Department is to cost \$30,000, drainage works of various kinds will cost a further \$30,000, the distribution circuit from the new reservoir at Yau Ma Tei will involve an expenditure this year of \$105,000, as against \$30,000 in the original estimate.

Further sums include \$60,000 for the Victoria Home and Orphanage and \$12,648 for Holy Trinity Church.

THE CHANNEL DEFEATS THREE SWIMMERS

At Various Distances From Coast

London, Aug. 30.

Miss Mercedes Gleits, Mr. E. H. Temme, and Mr. Charles Zimmermann, the legless American swimmers, all failed in their attempts to swim the Channel from Dover to France.

DEATH OF SIR PHILIP MAGNUS

NOTED SCIENTIST BARONET

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES

London, Aug. 29.

By the death at Chelworth to-day of the distinguished scientist-baronet, Sir Philip Magnus, at the age of 90, Surrey and London have been deprived of one of their principal educationists.

He was associated with the whole scholastic and public life of Surrey and was closely connected with the City. —*Reuter.*

Educated at University College London, Sir Philip graduated with first-class honours in Arts and Science. He was lecturer in Applied Mathematics, and examiner to various institutions.

From 1880 to 1888 he was organising Director and Secretary of the City and Guilds of the London Institute, and Superintendent and Secretary of the Institute's department of Technology from 1888 to 1916.

MULTIFARIOUS APPOINTMENTS.

His multifarious appointments included the following: Member of the Royal Commission on Technical Instruction from 1881 to 1884; member of the London School Board, 1890-91; Fellow of London University and member of the Senate 1900-91; Trustee of the City Parochial Charities and Mitchell Charity; member of the Education Committee, Surrey County Council.

President of the Council of College of Preceptors, a former President of the London Unionist Association; Vice-President of the Council and Chairman in 1927-28 of the Royal Society of Arts; a Governor of the Royal Grammar School, Guildford, of the Northampton Polytechnic and other institutions. He was also a member of the Mathematical and Physical Societies.

He was created a Knight in 1890 and a Baronet in 1917. He entered Parliamentary life in 1905, when he represented the University of London as a Unionist and held his seat until 1922.

YELLOW RIVER FLOODS

DANGER TO TSINAN NOW PAST

Peking, Aug. 30.

Messages from Tsinanfu show that despite the heavy rainfall, the Yellow River at Lokow is still falling and has dropped five inches in the last twenty-four hours.

Danger to Tsinan is now considered past.

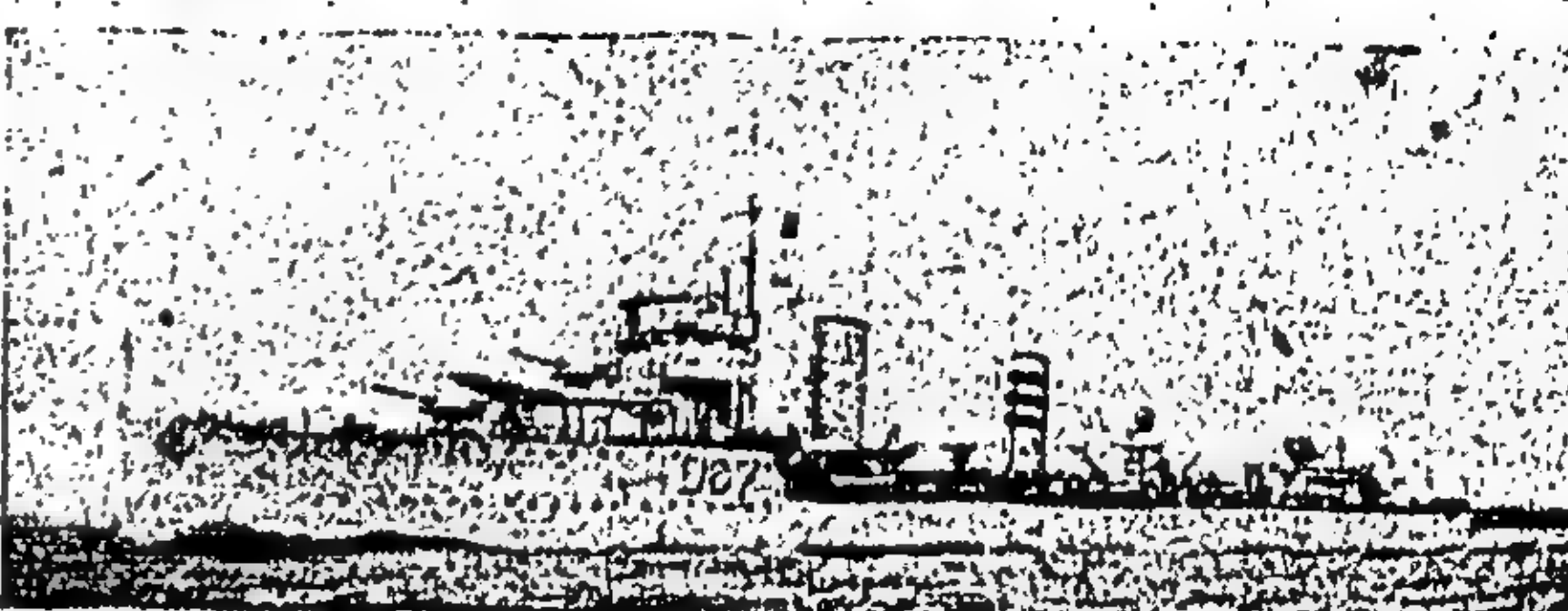
The situation in the western area of Shantung, however, is still serious. Yunchung, fifty miles west of Tsinan, is now inundated, several breaks having occurred on the right bank of the Yellow River in that area. —*Reuter.*

SIR JOHN SIMON RETURNS

SPLENDID TRIP TO A SPLENDID COUNTRY

London, Aug. 29.

Sir John and Lady Simon arrived at Southampton from South America this afternoon in the liner "Arizona". The Foreign Secretary will remain in London for about a week and will probably proceed to Scotland after attending a Cabinet meeting to be held to-morrow.



H.M.S. Wishart which has been ordered to Foochow.

U.S. WARSHIP ALSO ON THE WAY

FALL OF YENPING NOT YET CONFIRMED

PUZZLING SITUATION

THE SOMEWHAT CRITICAL SITUATION IN FUKIEN, WHERE THE COMMUNISTS HAVE APPARENTLY LAUNCHED A SUCCESSFUL SURPRISE ATTACK TOWARDS FOOWH, IS PUZZLING.

A Reuter cable from Washington this morning announces that the State Department has ordered a destroyer from the U.S. Asiatic Fleet to proceed to Foochow where three Americans are endangered "by Communist hordes."

The U.S.S. Sacramento in fact left Hongkong for Foochow this morning.

The American warship was preceded by a few hours by H.M.S. Wishart, also from Hongkong, while as reported yesterday, the Japanese cruiser Isudza, bound for Hongkong, has been diverted to Foochow.

The activity in foreign naval circles suggests that the situation is indeed grave, but the Telegraph is informed by a reliable source that there is good reason to doubt whether Yenping has been captured by the Communists, as reported from Peking last evening.

NO CONFIRMATION.

No confirmation of the fall of the city has been obtained, though it is stated that if an attack in strength should be launched by the Communists, it could not hold out for very long. There are only about a thousand Government troops in the vicinity.

Yenping is on the Min River about seventy miles above Foochow and its fall into Red hands would constitute a serious menace to the port of Foochow.

NAVAL MEASURES.

Nevertheless, no risks are being taken and if necessary, the naval forces at the port may be strengthened.

The local naval authorities stated this morning that it was probable that both H.M.S. Wishart and the U.S.S. Sacramento would stay in Foochow until the trouble has blown over.

The Sacramento is not expected to reach Foochow until Friday. H.M.S. Wishart should be there to-morrow morning.

JAPANESE REQUEST.

Tokyo, Aug. 29.

The Japanese Navy has been requested by the Japanese consulate officials at Foochow to dispatch two warships to Foochow for the protection of Japanese residents in view of the serious threat of Communist disturbances.

LO WEN KAN

ARRIVAL BY AIR AT LANCHOW

Shanghai, Aug. 30.

Mr. Lo Wen-kan left Shanghai this morning at ten o'clock for Lanchow. This afternoon the party of Nationalist leaders arrived at Lanchow.

AMERICA AND GOLD

EMBARGO PARTIALLY LIFTED

ACTION AGAINST HOARDERS

New York, Aug. 29.

Activity developed on the metal market to-day when an official announcement was made from Hyde Park, the President's summer residence, that the Administration had partially lifted the embargo on gold.

President Roosevelt has authorised the Treasury to receive, on consignment for sale through the Federal Reserve Bank, gold newly-mined in the United States.

This modification of the regulations will enable American gold producers to obtain the very high prices for the metal which prevail abroad.

ACTION AGAINST HOARDERS.

The owners of gold coin and bullion certificates are now ordered to file a statement within a fortnight detailing the amounts held.

After thirty days, no-one will be allowed to hold either gold coin or bullion certificates under a penalty of a fine of ten thousand dollars and/or ten years imprisonment. —*Reuter.*

Later.

It is made clear that the lifting of the gold embargo applies only to newly-mined U.S. gold. —*Reuter.* Asia. Lands have received a cable announcing that the gold decision has been interpreted bullishly and that sharp rises in commodity prices are expected.

BOLTON'S FIRST POINTS

Win For Relegated Team

London, Aug. 29.

Bolton, playing their second match of the season, gained their first points in the Second Division of the Football League to-day, when, visiting Grimsby, they won by the odd goal in five.

In the Northern section of the Third Division, Southport and Accrington shared the spoils, each scoring once. —*Reuter.*

PRIME MINISTER ON VACATION

TO BE GUEST OF HIS MAJESTY

London, Aug. 29.

The Prime Minister (Mr. Ramsay MacDonald) will to-morrow fly from Lonsmouth where he has been spending a holiday, to Northern Ireland where he will stay for a few days with Lord Londonderry, the Air Minister. He will afterwards return to London and will go later to Balmoral Castle as a guest of the King and Queen.

LORD GREY OF FALLDEN

ALMOST BLIND FOR SOME YEARS

London, Aug. 29.

Lord Grey, who is very ill at his home at Fallden in Northumberland, has been suffering from blindness for some years.

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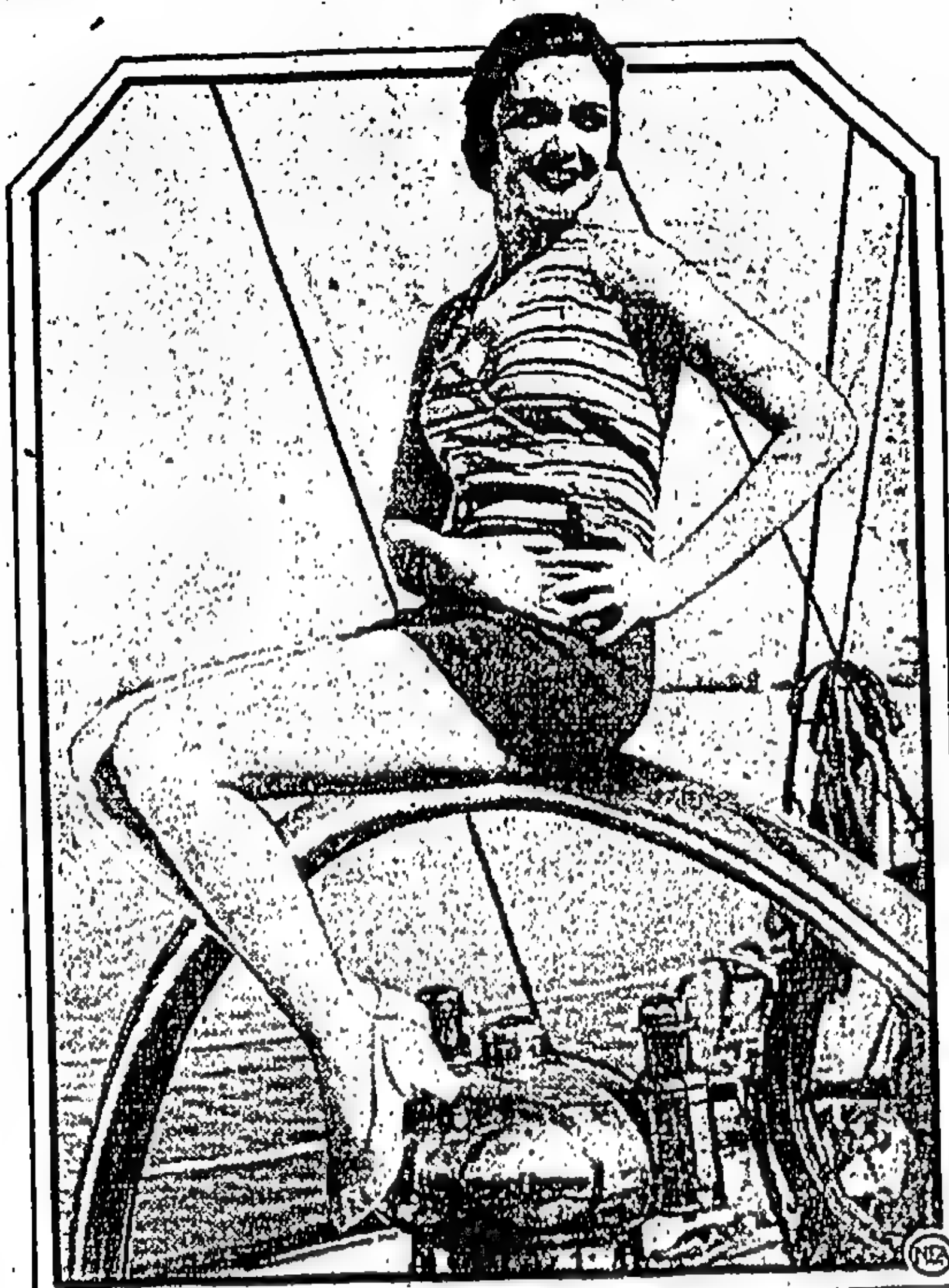
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THE WORLD
OF WOMEN

STARS 'N STRIPES

Hollywood Nymphs Are Splendid With Red



GAIL PATRICK

Hollywood.—Many Hollywood girls seem to be seeing red when they go costume-hunting. You see a bit of red on many of the best looking outfits.

Gail Patrick, wore a grey suit with grey, white and red stripes for upper part. It was something new in bathing suits, particularly the way the striped top was fashioned. She wore grey rubber shoes and a red cap.

Mae Clarke, wore a yellow backless swimming suit trimmed in blue and red stripes.

Grace Bradley, wore a new hat, driving her car down the Boulevard. It is a pancake, of scarlet straw, and sits on the very edge of the left side of her head, held in place by a small band around the back of her head.

YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

"That's my marble"

"It is not!"

"I hit it!"

"You didn't."

Harry gave Dick a push and

pocketed the commie.

Dick eyed him but said nothing.

Harry was a big fellow to fight.

They got tired of marbles and

fooled around for awhile.

"Let's get your bike," suggested

Dick.

"No, I tell you. Let's get your

wagon and hunt boards. We

haven't got near enough to build

a dog house."

Dick wasn't much interested.

Sport wasn't his dog.

"I'm going to build a bird house

to put on our tree."

"Huh! A bird house! A little

menial birdhouse! Why don't

you get a dog?"

"Say!" A thought struck Dick.

"Let's go and see those puppies.

Maybe Mr. Green will give me

one."

"No, come on. We'll get your

wagon and hunt boards."

Commands Situation

Dick got his wagon and they

hunted boards. They found a few

strays and carted them home.

"Say Dick, get your saw, will

you, it's bigger than mine. And

you have some nails? And get—

I tell you. We'll go over and get

your whole set. Mine's no good."

The "set" procured, Harry ap-

propriated the shiny hammer, the

saw, square pencil and everything.

All Dick did was to hold boards

over a stone for the other boy to

measure, mark and cut.

"Say!" said Harry. "How long

is Bert's dog house. I wonder?

You go over and look before I

saw any more boards. I don't

think it's this big."

"Lend me your bike," said Dick.

"I ain't allowed to lend it."

"Well then, you go. I'm tired."

"All right. But looks here,

don't you touch anything while

I'm gone. Remember it's my dog

house and I don't want anything

spoiled."

"I'll shoot marbles."

When Harry returned Dick said,

"I found that glassy of mine."

"Where?"

GLORIFYING
YOURSELF

Salt Baths Are Tonic
for the Nerves

By Alicia Hart

Bathing does a great deal more than keep you clean. In the summertime, particularly, frequent bathing adds to your comfort and general feeling of well-being.

Take a warm bath each night to remove the grime and dust of the day. Use plenty of soapsuds and a long handled brush. You can finish off with a cool shower if the warm bath has made you uncomfortable. If you don't have a shower, then your next best bet is to fill the tub a second time with clear, cool water.

A morning shower or a dip into tub of cool water will go far toward starting the day right for you. If you can stand it, of course a real cold shower is most invigorating. However, most of us prefer a morning shower that is only temperately cool.

Salt baths are an aid in preventing excessive body perspiration. Besides, they make you feel fresher.

Take handfuls of slightly dampened salt and rub your whole body with it. Then step into the tub or under the shower and rinse it all off.

Bath salts have a cooling effect when used in your bath and will do much to refresh nerves that are raved from summer heat. Get the duds with simple flower odours. Fine bath salts are a favourite in summer.

You can't take too many baths in the summertime. They are an important part of your beauty routine.

"Near that bush."

"That's mine, I lost it."

"You did not. I lost it yesterday and you know I did."

"Didn't!"

"Did!"

"Give it here."

The Comeback

Dick held his hand in his pocket.

Harry struck him. Dick struck

back—hard. Harry flew into the

house. Out came his mother.

"You go right home," she scolded.

"Why don't you stay in your own

yard?"

"Mannie!" yelled Harry.

"Cheat! Story-teller!"

Dick piled his carpenter chest

on his wagon and marched off.

But the next day Harry was

after him again. Dick, forgiving

as most children are, went.

At the end of the summer his

mother said, "Dick, what's got

into you? You've no spunk at all.

I can't make you out."

Too bad she didn't notice it

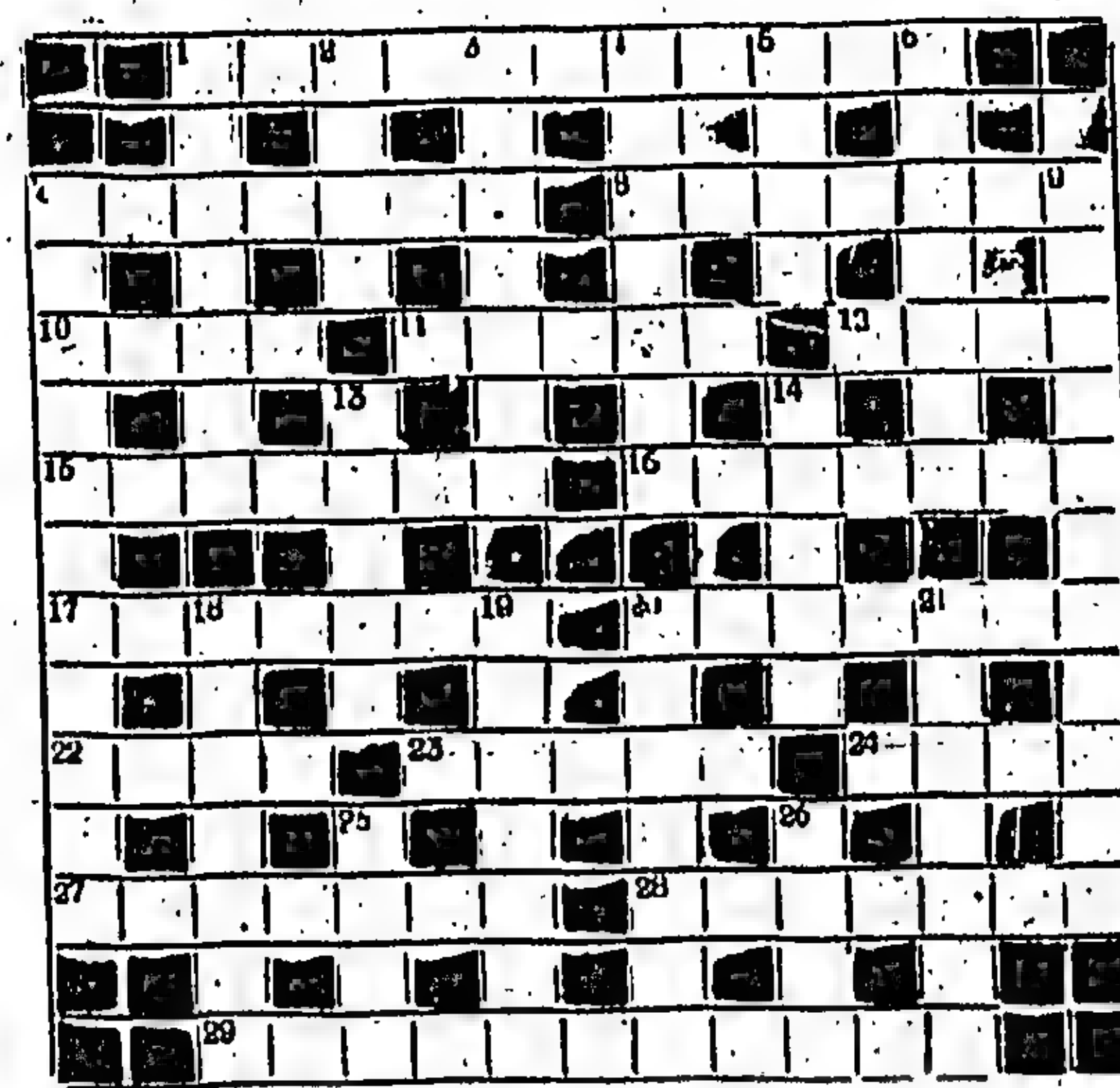
earlier. A day of Harry now and

then was good experience, but two

months? No. Children need fair-

minded children to play with, not

selfish bullies.



Across

1 To admit a little account lends

to wisdom.

7 Attribute in a writer.

8 After a vehicle I've invariably,

a suggestion of bad language.

10 "Which, like the—, ugly and

venomous, wears yet a precious

jewel in his head." (As You

It)

11 The recess the parliamentary

candidate hopes will come his

way eventually.

12 Familiar with circumstance.

15 Awfully nice according to the

schoolboy of my day.

16 Wear.

17 Splendid conduct with French

kings in the garment's edge.

20 French kings and sin hide this

composer.

22 Beau.

23 A rascal who is little more than

most of a church.

24 Half a U.S.A. State is in Eng-

land.

27 Always putting in his ear, but

doesn't sound fruitless.

28 The mother of Parliaments, said

Bright.

29 Few businesses should be in

these days of unemployment

(hyphen).

Down

1 Was this kind of illumination

used by Noah?

2 Superfluous advice to the jum-

per-maker.

3 Preliminary.

4 Difficult to elude because there's

nothing like it, they say.

5 proverbially tight.

6 Concise kind of statement, but

it takes a volume to finish it.

7 Snapdragon.

9 Banished and spread himself

verbally when he lost one of his

letters.

13 It's like this when I sit after

6.

14 A re-formed siren.

18 Lives about teams.

19 Oriental result of changing

your 10 Across.

20 There are a lot of people in this

part of Europe but, to a Ger-

man, only four (to an ancient

Roman, six perhaps).

21 Dr. Johnson is reported to have

said that the inhabitants of

this country were a fair people:

they never spoke well of one

another.

25 There's a lot in a high tone.

26 As my great-grandfather

may have ejaculated,

Yesterday's Solution.

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SALESMAN SAM

Major Should Know!

By Small



For the LOVE of EVE by Lucy Walling

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

EVE HAYLESS, pretty assistant to EARLE BARNES, advertising manager of Dixie's department store, secretly marries DICK RADER, a construction engineer. Dick wants Eve to give up working but she refuses. The same day Eve learns that she is to go to New York for the store and must leave that night. Dick takes her to the station but throughout the week in New York she has no word from him. The days there are busy, she meets THERON REECE who is much attracted by her and she visits IRENE PARENTISS, a former schoolmate who is playing the stock market and advises Eve to do the same. On her return to Lake City Dick takes Eve to the fashionable Hotel Miramar where he has engaged a suite. At the office Eve finds a new copy writer, MONA ALLEN, who appears to be a troublemaker. Dick and Eve are in the hotel dining room one evening when Eve sees Theron Reece. He recognizes her and comes to their table. Later she tells Dick she thinks they should move from the hotel.

CHAPTER VIII

There were several columns of advertisements of furnished apartments for rent in the Sunday newspaper. Eve and Dick had decided to rent a furnished place because Dick was only temporarily located in Lake City. The main offices of the company he worked for were in Chicago but Dick had been in Lake City for more than a year superintending the construction of a theatre combined with a huge office building. The theatre was to open in March but it would be June before everything would be completed. Dick hoped his next job also would be in Lake City. Eve refused even to consider the possibility that he might be sent elsewhere.

The first apartment they visited was impressive. Eve glanced about

the reception room and approved its furnishings. Even when she had learned how high the rent was she still wanted to live there.

But Dick would not listen to her argument that she could pay part of the rent. "No," he said, "we're going to live within my income and save some of it too, because I have plans for the future. It takes capital before anyone can be independent."

The next addresses on the list proved equally discouraging. At last they stopped before an old house on the opposite side of the city. It stood at the corner of a main thoroughfare and tree-lined side street.

"This house needs paint," Eve objected. "There's no use bothering to go inside. Look—the front steps are broken, too. I like the place next door better."

"That house next door is the home of the soap magnate, John North," Dick told her. "I used to room a few blocks from here."

The woman who owned the house was a widow. She and her two sons and daughter occupied one section of the rambling old mansion and the rest had been divided into apartments. Once inside, Eve had to admit the charm of the place. The walls were thick and the ceilings high. Doorways were arched and the heavy ivory woodwork was magnificent. The vacant apartment was at the front on the main floor. It had cream coloured walls and mahogany doors. Four windows

reached to the floor made a square "bay," and ruffled curtains were tied back to permit a view of the snow-covered lawn.

"We have a rose garden in summer and hollyhocks and all sorts of old-fashioned flowers," Mrs. Brooks announced. "The garden was my husband's hobby."

"Why these rooms are lovely! We must take them," gasped Eve, much to her own surprise. "And I think we can move in to-day."

They returned to the Miramar, checked out and stowed their belongings into the rumble seat of the roadster. Then Dick stopped at a delicatessen for chicken sandwiches, coffee, a bottle of cream and a pint of sherbert.

Mrs. Brooks let him make the coffee in her big, old-fashioned kitchen. She loaned them some dishes and cups and Eve set out the food. It was fun eating by candlelight, she declared. Dick beamed at her. "To-morrow," he said, "we'll have a real dinner in our first home, won't we, sweetheart?"

"Why, yes," said Eve soberly. She had not the slightest idea how it was to be managed since she had to be at the office until five o'clock. As she waited for the trolley at the corner next morning she turned to look at the house. It was downright shabby from the outside. Eve was not so pleased with her new home as she had been the night before.

But she forgot all that in a tre-

mendously busy morning. At noon she purchased an orchid linen luncheon set but there was no time for further shopping.

"Oh, bother!" she told herself. "I can't do everything. We'll just have to get our meals out for a while."

But when she reached home that night she was greeted by an aroma she loathed—cooking cabbage! In great consternation she hurried to the kitchen. There stood Dick wearing a blue flannel shirt with turned up collar and a pair of old trousers. He was grating horseradish. On the stove stood a steam pressure cooker.

"Dick!" gasped Eve. "What on earth—?"

"Hello, sweetheart," he said, inclining his head for a kiss. Before Eve could take her hat off he had lifted the huge cooker and whisked it out the door. There, on the back porch, he released the steam. In a few seconds he brought it back to the stove.

"Doing that outdoors," he exclaimed, "keeps the cooking odours from circulating through the house."

"Dick Rader, why—!" Eve began. She was on the verge of tears.

"Take off your wraps, dear," he said. "We can have dinner in a few minutes. Everything is done but the horseradish."

Eve obeyed. She wanted to cry. But she laid the table for two and Dick triumphantly produced his offering. "A vegetable dinner! I thought you'd be as fed-up as I was on party food. I bought the pressure cooker at noon. Just the thing for us. Cooks meat, vegetables, and everything at the same time and in just a few minutes."

On the table was a platter of ham surrounded by carrots, onions, cabbage and potatoes. Eve looked at it without speaking.

"What's the matter?" Dick asked.

"I'm not hungry," answered Eve. "Well, that's too bad," Dick answered. "Don't you want to try a bit anyhow? This horseradish sets everything off just right."

Eve arose and left the room.

murmuring under her breath, "Oh, this is impossible!" But Dick went on with his meal, apparently undisturbed.

Eve sat in the dark living room looking out at the street. Dick entered much later. "Oh, there you are!" he exclaimed, turning on the lamp. "Have some candy, Eve?" And with a smile he held out a box of chocolate centred butter creams.

Eve grudgingly allowed herself one of them. "It's the only kind of dessert I really care for," Dick explained. "This and fruit cake. You'll never have to bother making pies and fancy cakes for me; just keep a homemade fruit cake on hand."

"Isn't that interesting?" commented Eve.

But Dick apparently missed the sarcasm. "I'm not going to be difficult to cook for," he assured her.

Eve's heart sank. Why, with all her years of studying, had she never learned anything at all about cooking?

Dick threw a leg over the side of his arm chair, lighted his pipe and went on, "It's going to be nice to have a wife to cook for me. I used to get so tired of hotel and restaurant food that sometimes I've taken an apartment with a kitchenette just so I could do my own cooking."

"Indeed! Where did you learn to cook?" she asked in a low voice. "Oh, in the woods. Spent a summer up north peeling bark for a medicine company when I was a kid. Fine training."

"You like the woods, don't you?" Eve asked, in spite of herself.

"I'll take you up north some time; see if you don't like it too," Dick said in answer. "I used to go up in the fall with a group of friends. But that was different. Then we stopped at a lodge and there were cooks to prepare the food. That was wonderful, too. But you never really learn the woods until you have to fend for yourself."

"How much did you pay for that cooker," Eve demanded suddenly. When he told her she gasped.

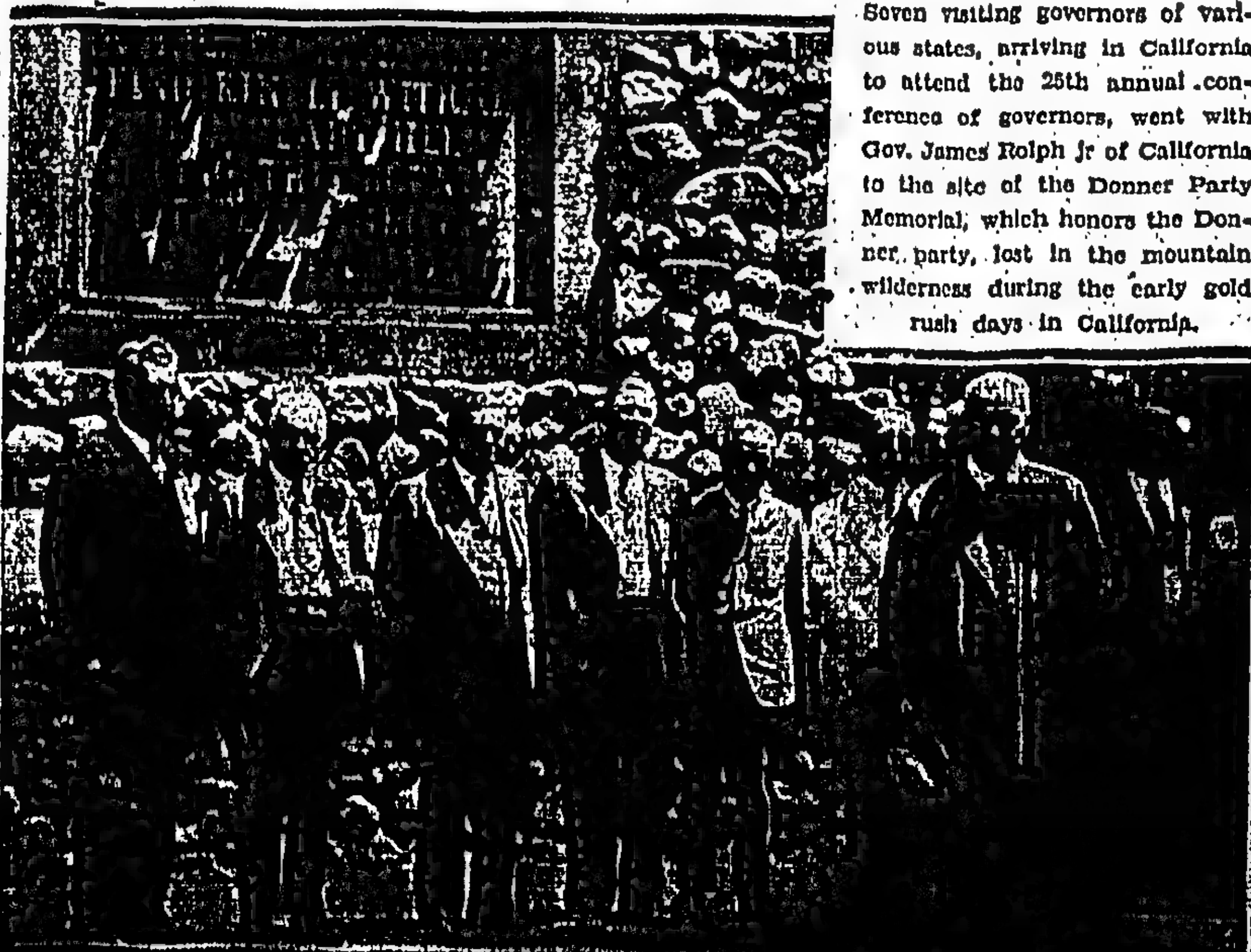
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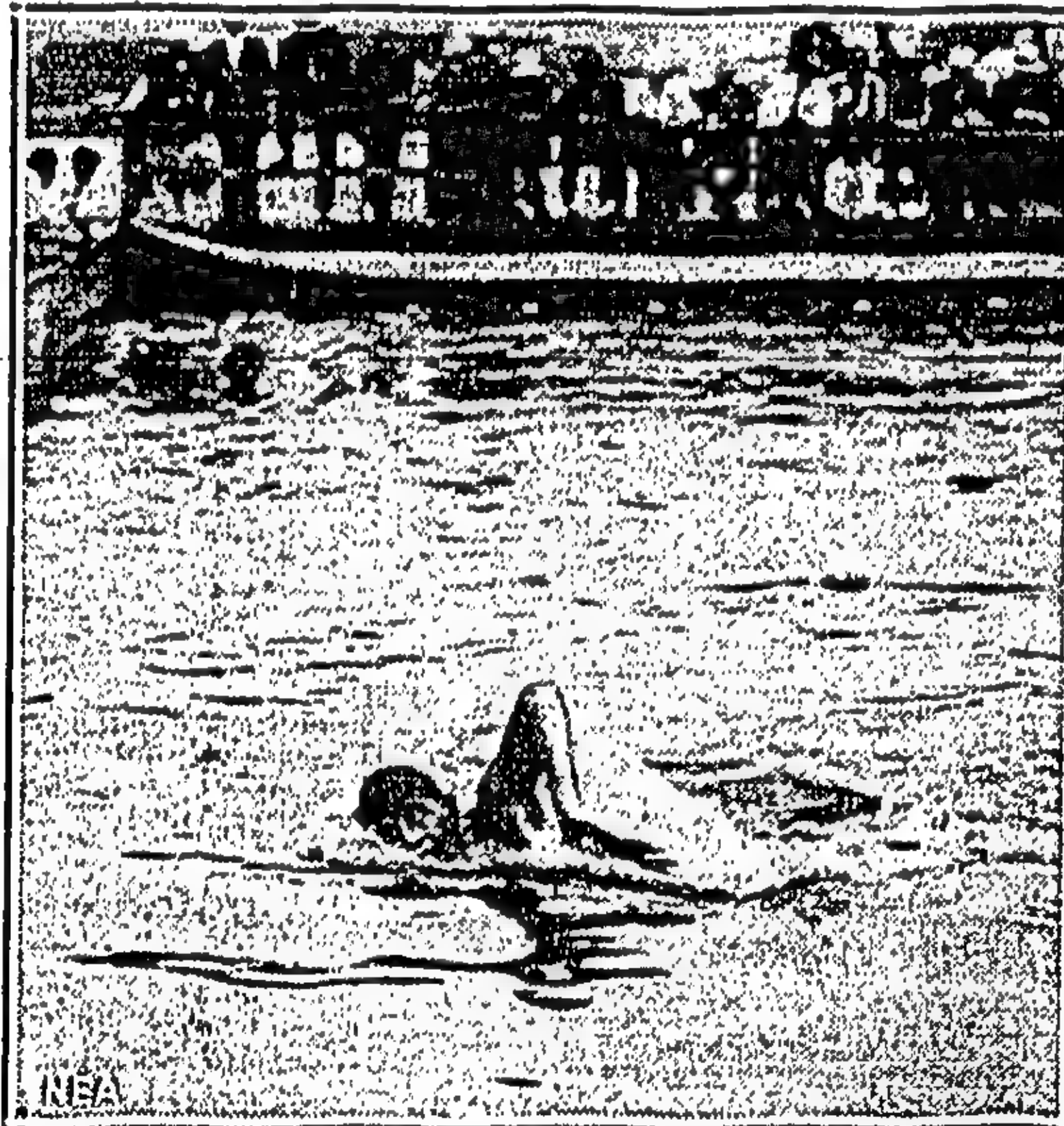
The Shanghai (left) and Hongkong Interport Polo fours who clashed at Kiangwan in the final of the Cup competition, Shanghai winning 11 to 1. The handsome trophy is shown above in the centre. The local team was composed of, left to right—Rodger, du Rivau, Franklin and Allman. Hongkong, left to right—Kewick, Villar, Williams and Hope.



The monoplane Lithuania is shown soaring over New York city at the start of an attempted 4900-mile non-stop flight to Kaunas, capital of Lithuania. Its two Lithuanian pilots, Capt. Stephen Darius, left and Stanley Gienas, right, of Chicago, were found dead in wreckage of plane in the woods near Sölden, Germany, after successfully crossing the Atlantic and completing 4,000 miles of the flight. Lack of fuel is believed to have caused the failure.



Seven visiting governors of various states, arriving in California to attend the 25th annual conference of governors, went with Gov. James Rolph Jr. of California to the site of the Donner Party Memorial, which honors the Donner party, lost in the mountain wilderness during the early gold rush days in California.

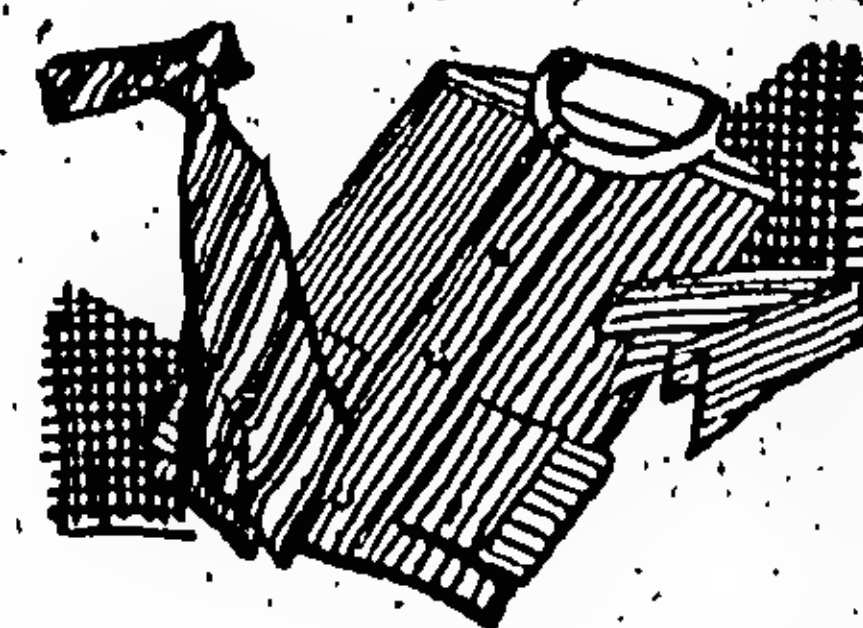


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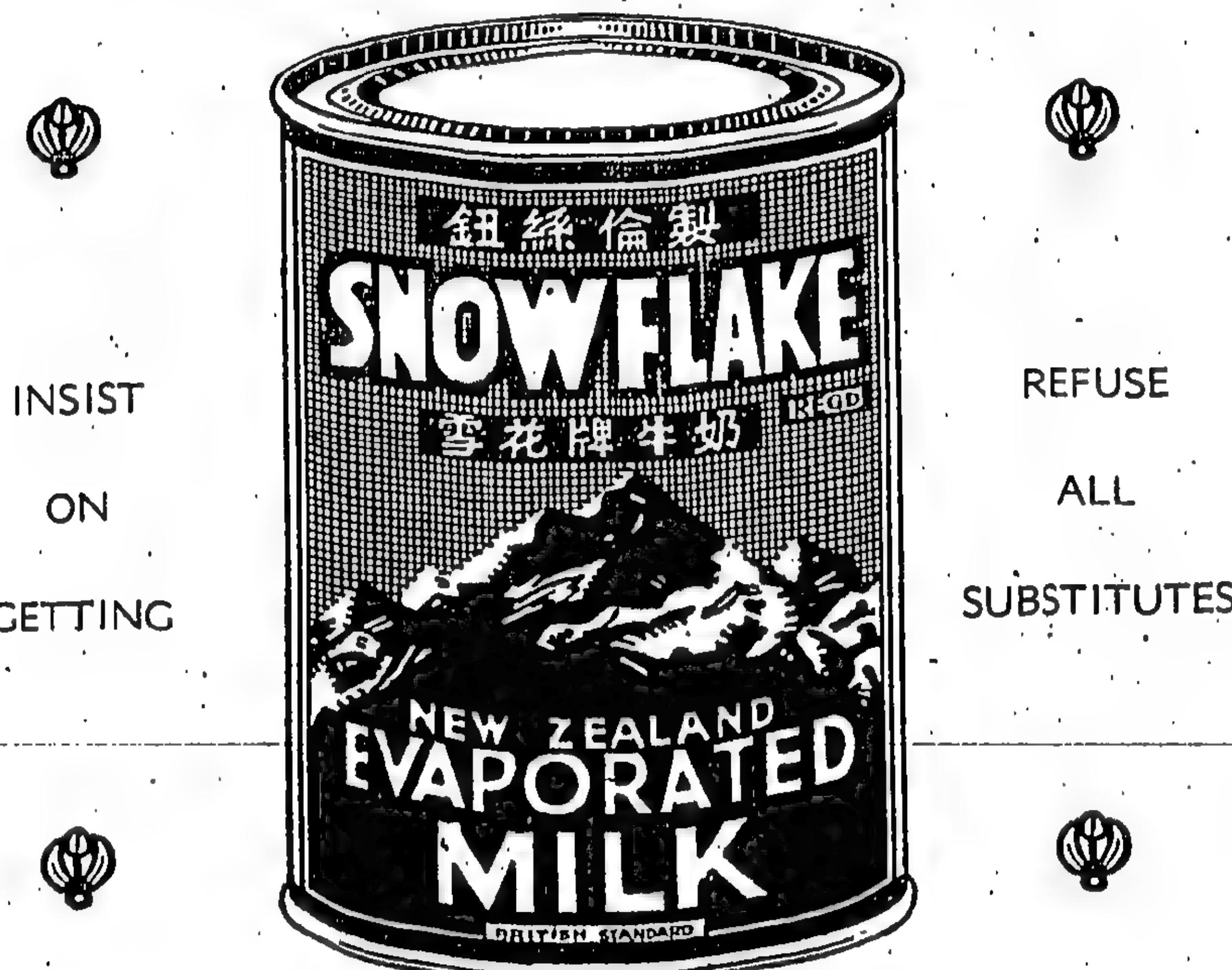
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INWARD MAILS.

| From | Per | Due |
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| Japan | Tanda | August 30. |
| Shanghai | Szechuen | August 31. |
| Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan, and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 12th August) | Emp. of Canada | September 1. |
| Japan and Shanghai | Hakusan Maru | September 1. |
| Europe via Negapatam (Letters and Papers) London, 3rd August | Hosang | September 1. |
| Straits | Meriones | September 1. |
| U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 4th August, 12th August) | Pres. Garfield | September 1. |
| U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 12th August) | Pres. Jefferson | September 1. |
| Amoy | Santhia | September 1. |
| Straits | Kashima Maru | September 2. |
| Straits | Laomedon | September 2. |
| Australia and Manila | Nankin | September 2. |
| U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 11th Aug.) | Conte Verde | September 3. |
| London Parcels only—London, 27th July | Pres. Hoover | September 4. |
| Japan | Sondan | September 4. |
| Calcutta and Straits | Africa Maru | September 5. |
| Japan | Sirdhana | September 5. |
| Shanghai | Sydney Maru | September 5. |
| Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 10th August and Parcels, 3rd August | Caichan | September 6. |
| Japan | Corfu | September 6. |
| | Tyndarus | September 6. |

OUTWARD MAILS.

| For | Per | Date and Time | |
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| Samshui and Wuchow | Chung On | Wed., Aug. 30, 4 p.m. | |
| Shanghai | Duisburg | Wed., Aug. 30, 4.30 p.m. | |
| | Thursday. | | |
| Fort Bayard | Wing Wo | Thurs., Aug. 31, 9.30 a.m. | |
| Amoy | Yingchow | Thurs., Aug. 31, 3.30 p.m. | |
| Formosa | Nankai Maru | Thurs., Aug. 31, 5 p.m. | |
| | Friday. | | |
| Hoihow | Kwangtung | Fri., Sept. 1, 10 a.m. | |
| Swatow, Amoy and Foochow | Haining | Fri., Sept. 1, 3 p.m. | |
| Dairen | Linan | Fri., Sept. 1, 3.30 p.m. | |
| Manila | Emp. of Canada | Fri., Sept. 1, 5 p.m. | |
| *Manila | Pres. Garfield | Fri., Sept. 1, 5 p.m. | |
| Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service" | Hakusan Maru | Fri., Sept. 1. | |
| | K. P. O. | G. P. O. | |
| Reg., | Sept. 1, 4 p.m. | Reg., | Sept. 1, 4.30 p.m. |
| Letters, | Sept. 1, 4.30 p.m. | Letters, | Sept. 1, 5 p.m. |
| Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles | Hakusan Maru | Fri., Sept. 1. | (Due Marseilles, 1st October). |
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| Reg., | Sept. 1, 4.30 p.m. | Reg., | Sept. 1, 5 p.m. |
| Letters, | Sept. 1, 4.30 p.m. | Letters, | Sept. 1, 6 p.m. |
| | Saturday. | | |
| Amoy | Hosang | Sat., Sept. 2, 8.30 a.m. | |
| Haiphong | Canton | Sat., Sept. 2, 2 p.m. | |
| *Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane | Tanda | Sat., Sept. 2, 1.45 p.m. | |
| (Due Brisbane, 19th September) | Parcels, | Sat., Sept. 2, 2.30 p.m. | |
| | Letters, | Sat., Sept. 2, 3.30 p.m. | |
| Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Koshima Maru | Sat., Sept. 2, 3.30 p.m. | | |
| Siberia | Pres. Jefferson | Sat., Sept. 2, 4.30 p.m. | |
| Manila | Sunday. | | |
| Shanghai | Conte Verde | Sun., Sept. 3, 9 a.m. | |
| Swatow, Amoy and Formosa | Hozan Maru | Sun., Sept. 3, 9 a.m. | |
| Bangkok via Swatow | Kiangsu | Sun., Sept. 3, 9 a.m. | |
| | Tuesday. | | |
| *Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya | Tjengnara | Tues., Sept. 5, 9.30 a.m. | |
| Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane | Sydney Maru | Tues., Sept. 5, 11 a.m. | |
| (Due Brisbane, 18th September) | Parcels, | Tues., Sept. 5, 12.45 p.m. | |
| | Reg., | Tues., Sept. 5, 1.30 p.m. | |
| Swatow, Amoy and Foochow | Hayang | Tues., Sept. 5, 3 p.m. | |
| Manila | Pres. Hoover | Tues., Sept. 5, 4.30 p.m. | |
| | Wednesday. | | |
| Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, *Canada and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia | Asama Maru | Wed., Sept. 6, 5 p.m. | |
| Sandakan | Reg., | Sept. 6, 8.30 a.m. | |
| Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa | (Due San Francisco, 27th Sept.) | Maurang | Wed., Sept. 6, 10.30 a.m. |
| Amoy | Africa Maru | Wed., Sept. 6, 10.30 a.m. | |
| | Taiyuan | Wed., Sept. 6, 3.30 p.m. | |
| | Friday. | | |
| Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, *Canada, *U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. | Empress of Canada | Fri., Sept. 8, 5 p.m. | |
| (Due Vancouver B.C., 27th Sept.) | Reg., | Sept. 8, 0.15 a.m. | |
| Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C., and *Europe via Siberia | President Jefferson | Fri., Sept. 8, 3 p.m. | |
| (Due Victoria B.C., 20th Sept.) | Parcels, | Sept. 8, 3.45 p.m. | |
| | Letters, | Sept. 8, 5 p.m. | |
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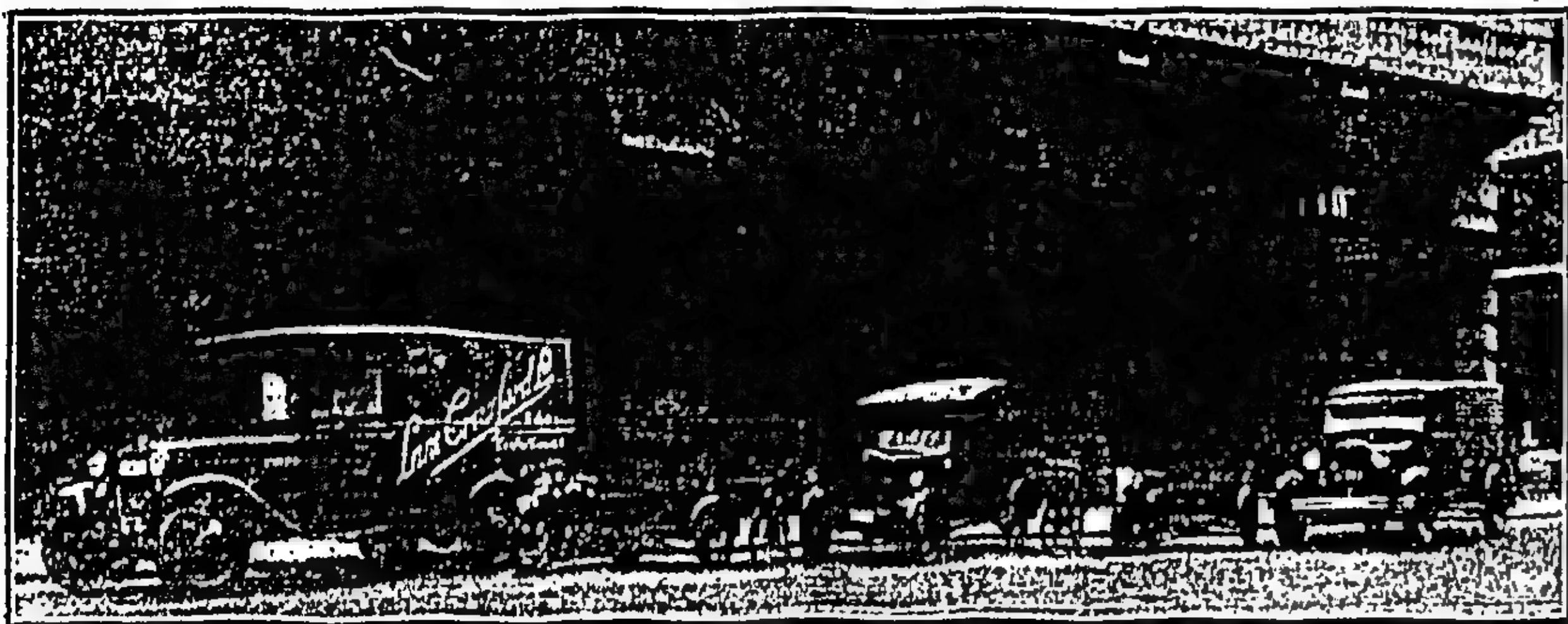
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- 4.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
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The market: Generally quieter and
somewhat irregular.

| Chinese Bonds | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
|---|----------|----------|
| 4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.) | £102 1/2 | £102 1/2 |
| 4 1/2% Loan 1908 | £ 83 | £ 83 |
| 5% Loan 1912 | £ 61 | £ 61 |
| 5% Reorg. Loan | £ 89 1/2 | £ 89 1/2 |
| 5% Bonds 1925-47 | £ 80 | £ 80 1/2 |
| 5% Shai-Nanking Rly. | £ 40 1/2 | £ 40 1/2 |
| 5% Tient-Pukow Rly. | £ 22-27 | £ 22-27 |
| 5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan) | £ 17-22 | £ 17-22 |
| 5% Shai-Hang- chow-Ningpo Rly. | £ 83-88 | £ 83-88 |
| 5% Honan Rly. | £ 12 | £ 12 |
| 5% Hukuang Rly. | £ 28 1/2 | £ 28 1/2 |
| 1911 | £ 28 1/2 | £ 28 1/2 |
| 5% Lung Tsing U. Hail Rly. 1913 | £ 11 1/2 | £ 11 1/2 |

| Foreign Bonds and Banks | | |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|
| German 7% Int. | 77 | 77 |
| Japan 5% Sterling | £ 86 1/2 | £ 86 1/2 |
| Japan 1907 | £ 86 1/2 | £ 86 1/2 |
| Japan 6% Sterling | £ 84 | £ 84 |
| Japan 1924 | £ 84 | £ 84 |
| Industrials and Breweries | | |
| Associated Elec. | 21/- | 21/- |
| Industries | 111/10 1/2 | 111/10 1/2 |
| Brit.-Amer. Tob. | 30/9 | 30/9 |
| Chinese Eng. and | 59/3 | 59/3 |
| Mln. | 40/7 1/2 | 40/7 1/2 |
| J. & P. Coats | 85/6 | 85/6 |
| Courtaulds | 34/9 | 34/7 1/2 |
| Distillers | 28/- | 27/10 1/2 |
| Dunlop Rubber | 44/- | 44/- |
| Everready | 111/10 1/2 | 111/10 1/2 |
| General Elec. | 107/6 | 107/6 |
| Guinness | 28/4 1/2 | 28/4 1/2 |
| Impl. Chem. In- | 29/9 | 29/9 |
| dustry | 108/-xd | 107/6 |
| Impl. Tobacco | 28/4 1/2 | 28/4 1/2 |
| Int. Tea Stores | £ 22 1/2 | £ 22 1/2 |
| Internat. Nickel | 33/6 | 33/3 |
| Pinchin Johnson | 37/6 | 37/6 |
| Turner & Newall | 27/0 | 27/0 |
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| Miscellaneous | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Anglo-Dutch | 16/3 | 16/- |
| Burmah Corp. | 13/0 | 13/0 |
| Canadian Pacific | £ 18 1/2 | £ 18 1/2 |
| Rly. | | |
| Gulf Kalumpung | 16/- | 16/- |
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|-------------------|----------|----------|
| Anglo-Persian Oil | 47/6 | 48/9 |
| Burmah Oil | 86/3 | 87/6 |
| Royal Dutch | £ 22 1/2 | £ 22 1/2 |
| Shell Trans. & | | |
| Trad. | 55/7 1/2 | 55/7 1/2 |

COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz
have received the following quotations
on the New York cotton and wheat
and silver exchanges for yesterday.

| Cotton. | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
|----------|-------------|-------------|
| Closing | | |
| Range | | |
| October | 9.62-9.63 | 9.63-9.65 |
| December | 9.81-9.83 | 9.82-9.84 |
| January | 9.94-9.94 | 9.93-9.94 |
| March | 10.07-10.07 | 10.07-10.07 |
| May | 10.21-10.23 | 10.23-10.23 |
| July | 10.26-10.30 | 10.31-10.31 |
| Spot | 9.65 | 9.65 |

| Wheat. | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
|---------|-------------|-------------|
| Chicago | | |
| Sept. | 87 1/2 | 84 1/2 |
| Oct. | 71 1/2 | 70 1/2 |
| Dec. | 81 1/2 | 88 |
| May | 10.24-10.26 | 10.28-10.28 |

| Silver. | Aug. 28. | Aug. 29. |
|--------------------------|-----------------|----------|
| September | 36.50 | 37.15 |
| December | 37.21 | 37.77 |
| March | 38.07 | 38.05 |
| Total sales for the day: | | |
| 7,625,000 ozs. | 8,775,000 ozs. | |
| (305 Contracts) | (351 Contracts) | |

WATER POLO VICTORY.

South Wales Borderers Win
Area Competition.

ARTILLERY OUTPLAYED.

The final of the United Knock Out
Water Polo Competition, organized
by the Hongkong Area Sports Board,
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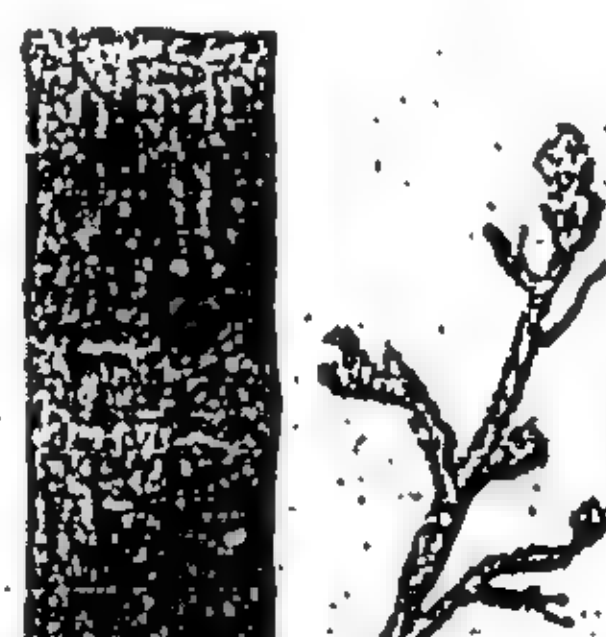
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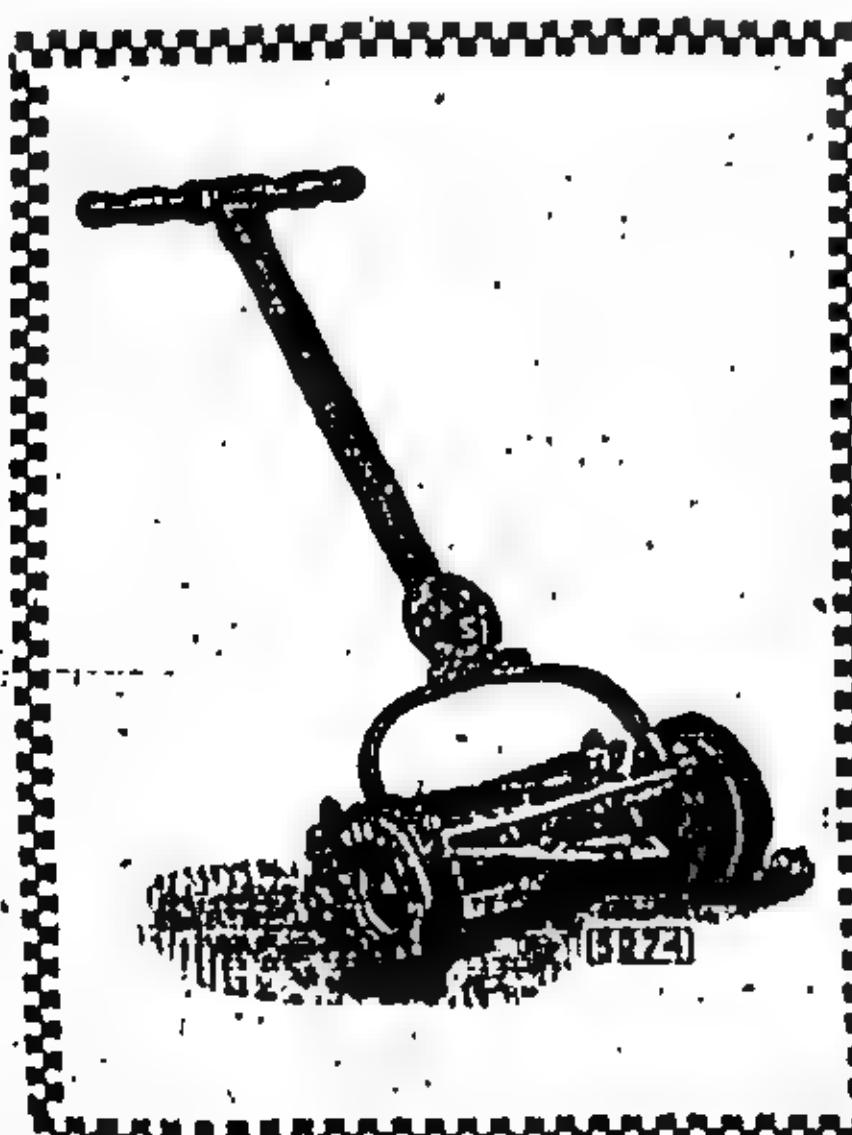
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1933.

BRITISH POLICY

The comparative quietness of political life in Britain would seem to suggest that the public are well satisfied with the policies of the National Government. Yet public opinion has moved far and fast since 1931. There are indications that it has moved much farther and faster than the Government. The thought of the nation has developed steadily in response to the march of events. To-day there is increasing consciousness of the fact that the remedies needed now are not merely different from those needed less than two years ago, but in some directions exactly opposite. Then it seemed that an essentially "conservative" policy was necessary to avert the consequences of Socialist finance. Economy became the fashion. Its spread caused a tightening of purses, a reduction of consumption, and so, of course, a further diminution of employment. The Bank of England was as cautious as the Treasury, and money, tightly held, ceased to fertilize industry. British financial credit was completely restored. But British industry was worse off. The difficulty is that a Government expressly appointed to carry out a policy of caution is not one peculiarly fitted to show daring and initiative. But daring and initiative are what British public opinion to-day demands. The feeling is that Britain is now in position to display these qualities in her policy both at home and abroad. The soundness of her finance being now amply demonstrated, many urge that she is strong enough to depart from methods of extreme caution. There are those who think that Britain should not wait for a rise of prices in America, but should give a lead to the world by forcing a higher price level among all countries on the sterling basis. The same current of feeling which is impatient with the essentially "conservative" policy at home leads also to strong criticism of a Government which is felt to be too conservative (in the political sense) in its policy abroad. There is no nation in the world which is more determinedly pacifist in its attitude to-day than Great Britain. But that attitude, it is felt has not been adequately expressed and the mystery of the "Four Power pact" has caused irritation. In regard to Japan, public opinion would have strongly supported the Government if it had taken up a much more emphatic attitude in its denunciation of the Manchurian war, and the threatening line adopted toward Russia met with by no means unanimous approval in the House of Commons. The Government

NOTES OF THE DAY

DE VALERA'S BLUFF?

General O'Duffy has not been arrested despite his defiance of the Government on Sunday when he addressed 12,000 Blue Shirts publicly. It looks like a very sad lapse on the part of the Government. President de Valera has established a sort of super-military law, under which anybody can be arrested on suspicion, and brought before an officer who is empowered to inflict any punishment from a shilling fine to the death penalty. There seems to be considerable scope between these two extremes for making the punishment fit the crime. But what is a crime in Ireland nowadays? In the bad old days the law had a good deal more formality than it is to have now, and even the most drastic methods were not so summary as this. However, if the Irish like it this way, presumably they may have it. But there is always a suspicion, when these exceedingly drastic methods are adopted, that there is an inconvenient number of people who are opposed to the existing regime. Perhaps that explains why the Blue Shirt leader is still at large.

THE BATHING CLUBS

The immediate problem of the Chinese bathing clubs at North Point has been set aside by Government's announcement that the clubs are to be permitted to continue on the present yearly tenures. They would do well, however, to give consideration to the warning that the shipping and industrial development of the Colony must have first claim upon the area they occupy. We understand that a Permanent Committee has been formed by the clubs to consider the question when it again arises. It might be suggested that there is a much safer course open than that of waiting until notice to quit is served upon the clubs.

CHINA AND JAPAN

The constant talk in Japan of a coming rapprochement with China appears to lack solid foundation, unless it is expressed in terms of Tokyo's own desire to end the China adventure where it rests and concentrate upon other acute problems. When Mr. Wang Ching-wei succeeded Mr. Lo Wen-kan as Foreign Minister, temporarily, hopes were expressed that Japan would get what she wants, Mr. Wang being credited with ability to listen to reason. Apart from what "reason" might imply, those hopes have been damped by an informal statement from Nanking indicating that foreign policy does not express the personal attitude of the Minister but is subject to the sanction on the Supreme Council. This sounds a little discouraging, as friendly feeling towards Japan and a readiness to accept her proffered bargains is not very common in Kuomintang circles. Indeed, the Japanese General Staff, about Christmas last, was reported as issuing a statement that for the security of Japan, the Kuomintang must be destroyed.

THE HUANG FU TALK

It will also have been observed that the tendency to make much of the conversations between General Huang Fu and Mr. Ariyoshi has gradually faded away. The Tokyo Foreign Office expresses itself as satisfied with the result of the talk, but "Japan's policy is entirely dependent upon the attitude of China." The phraseology may mean nothing at all and it may mean quite a lot. In themselves, they seem to suggest that Mr. Ariyoshi could not permit himself to be highly optimistic in his report to Tokyo.

NEW PUBLIC WORKS

Additional works costing over six lakhs are being undertaken by the Public Works Department this year and a resolution authorising the expenditure will be submitted to Legislative Council to-morrow. Some very important projects contemplated include the re-surfacing of the Shatin Causeway-Taipei Road at a cost of \$7,000, the new 100-foot road between Causeway Bay is to be speeded up, and \$30,000 is to be spent on the Magazine Gap Road. There are additions to the Budget also doubtless a reflection of the happy state of the Colony's

DAKUWAQA THE SHARK GOD OF FIJI

LEGENDS WHICH HAVE BECOME
VITAL IN LIVES OF NATIVES

By B. J. HAMILTON

The waters surrounding the Fiji Islands are abundantly provided with fish of all kinds, and sharks of the shovel nose and hammer head varieties, are plentiful. These sharks are in truth voracious "tigers of the seas" and every year exact their toll of human life: but, formerly, when voyaging between the various islands was done in canoes, the loss of life was terrible.

On one occasion, when a great double canoe went to pieces a few miles off the passage into Suva harbour, only three were saved out of 150 passengers, though boats had put off from the shore to the rescue. On another occasion, when a canoe from an outlying group of islands was wrecked on the south of Kadavu, about 200 lives were lost from a similar cause. Again half the population of Dravuni who had stayed in their canoes overnight inside the Solo reef, were caught in a sudden gale, and the next day the broken remains of their canoes were all that was left to tell the tale. Naturally, terror and fear prevailed and the primitive Fiji sought for means of propitiating the deities which inhabited the waters and made his sea journeys fraught with extreme danger.

FRIENDLY WITH NATEWAS.

With Dakuwaqa's own people of Cakaudrove or Natova he was always friendly, and in their night raids he would swim in front of their canoes as pilot, so that they could steer safely to the desired point by the phosphorescence of his wake.

Dakuwaqa had the power of making himself into any size he liked, from two feet to forty, and was said to have a red back, while his belly was a glistering white. He also appeared occasionally as a water snake with distinctive black and white band markings.

Before setting down native stories relating to the Shark God, I would like to refer to an incident which happened to Mr. Colman Wall during the early period of his sojourn in Fiji. Seated with a European friend on a bluff on the island of Nakara, near Suva, below which lay a shallow reef which connects the island with the mainland, he saw a Fiji woman with her fishing net and basket entered the water from the opposite shore. It was a matter of daily occurrence as the people from the village of Mau regularly use the reef for fishing as well as a ford; but what surprised these two watchers on the bluff above was to see a shark swimming behind the woman at a distance of five or six yards. The woman looked behind once or twice, and evidently saw the shark and the watchers expected a catastrophe. The woman waded on unconcernedly though the water at times was up to her armpits.

At last, when the water became too shallow, the shark swam away, and the watchers went down to the beach and met the woman. She said she had seen the shark but was not at all afraid it would attack her. As she said it was her Vu or ancestral spirit and it never was known to meddle with her people, but it was known to readily attack strangers.

This incident is vouched for and is related here to illustrate the state of the native mind on such matters.

TRUTH OF THE LEGENDS.

Most of the legendary stories of Dakuwaqa are very ancient, and to merely state they are untrue is a crude way of getting out of difficulty. It is necessary to study the native mind and the effect of the play of fear and other strong emotions on that primitive mind before we can appreciate the circumstances adequately. The subconscious memory of the Fiji natives saturated with old legends must also be understood, and last, but by no means least, the desire common alike to European and native to appear as a central figure in the limelight often tempts men to make themselves the hero of adventures, which they have heard from others, and which invariably have gathered to themselves now marvels as they have passed from mouth to mouth.

In the early days of British Administration in Fiji a Ball of native

(Continued on Page 10.)

The Very Idea! YOU CAD

By Edward Kelly, Bononian

RAH! Rah! Rah!
We notice from the newspapers that the local schools and colleges commence their next terms in the middle of September.

How well we remember our dear old Alma Mater. How many times she spanked us because we used to wag it from Oxford, or when we were caught kissing the girls, Oxford in those days being a co-ed school.

—We were born in Melbourne in 1904, and in 1906 we arrived in London, broke, and indebted to the P. & O. line for our board and room.

But we found our way out to Oxford, and immediately commenced our studies.

Editor: Impossible. You were only two years of age in 1906.

Eddie: There is a considerable difference of time between Melbourne and London.

Oxford turned out some brilliant men in '06. Those were the days when Bernard Shaw, W. G. Grace, Al. Jolson, and several well-known Hongkong taipans were in our class.

We remember the Willis' twins quite well, because in '07 we fagged for both W.D. and H.O.

In addition to turning out the brilliant men we have already mentioned, Oxford also turned us out.

We were expelled following a complaint by Professor Einstein, who informed the Head that we had written a treatise on the Darwinian theory when he asked for one on the Theory of Relativity.

Stories of our all-round athletic prowess at Oxford had appeared in all the papers, including the *Critic*, and we received tempting offers from Cambridge to desert the old Oxford campus.

We went to Cambridge, and stroked their crew to victory in the boat-race, but our heart was not in the game. Everywhere we went we came across Bovril and Oxo posters and advertisements to remind us of our old Alma Mammy.

Besides, Cambridge was not co-educational, and we longed for the company of the other sex.

Finally, we could stand it no longer. We were studying botany in the class-room one day when Professor H. G. Wells suddenly snapped at us:

"Attention, Kelly," he said, "In what part of the world do you find mangoes?"

"Where women goes," we answered promptly.

So we left, taking our Oxford bags, fraternity pins, and other relics with us.

In any case, we could not have held out much longer, because our chit account was stopped at the tuck shop.

The doors of Oxford, and Cambridge closed to us, and the Public Schools beneath our dignity, you cads, there was only one thing left to do.

So we became a remittance man, immigrating to the colonies.

But our heart is still at Oxford. At night, as we lie under the stars, the sheep roaring around us, and the hyenas crawling into our sleeping bag for warmth, our minds often return to the old campus.

We can still see the gang—saying the day at the last minute on the cricket field, strolling into the speaker's at the dead of night, and drinking their gin neat. Two-fisted he-men, who were quick on the draw as they reached to their hips for the flasks, and pink-kneed co-eds. Those were the days.

Alma Mammy! Mammy! We can almost hear the cheer leaders as they sway the yelling thousands at the cricket field:

"Oxford, Bovril, Bah! Bah! Bah!"

"This is the life in the RAW! RAW! RAW!"

WATER, WATER, WATER

This water shortage in Hongkong is really getting serious. What we mean is, if a man gets out of bed before 9 a.m., he's still got to take his bath. Why can't the authorities turn on the water while we're all at work?

There's another thing, too. Our headache was complaining about the lawn getting all hot and withered yesterday, so she rang up the water authority people about it.

"Now that these restrictions are in force, when do I put on my hose?" she asked.

"Madam," said the chap at the other end of the phone, "I would suggest that you put it on now."



NEW FORCE FOR AUSTRIA

TO MEET BORDER "MENACE"

ALLIES AGREE TO STEP

Vienna, Aug. 29.

Austria's defences are to be strengthened as a result of negotiations between Dr. Dollfuss, the Chancellor, and interested governments.

It will be recalled that the Austrian Chancellor, owing to the alleged menace of an invasion by Austrian Nazi forces armed in Bavaria, approached the French Government recently with a proposal to increase the Austrian army to the full Treaty limits.

It was finally decided to meet the situation in another way and a Volunteer Auxiliary Corps, additional to the Federal Army, is being established.

SIX MONTHS' ENLISTMENT.

The Volunteers will serve for a period of six months only and their total strength, with the Federal Army, will not exceed the thirty thousand men permitted under Treaty.

The Volunteers will be used almost exclusively for frontier defence.

Last week, it was persistently rumoured that the Nazi Austrian Legion formed in Bavaria was already moving towards the Austrian frontier.—*Reuter*.

LITTLE ENTENTE CONSENT.

Agreement will probably be concluded within a few days embodying the conditions in which the British, French and Italian Governments consent to the request recently made by the Austrian Government for permission to raise, for one year, a special, auxiliary force of 8,000 men.

The Governments of the Little Entente Powers are understood to have been consulted and to have given their consent.

The Austrian request arises out of the atmosphere of tension existing on the Austro-German frontier.

By the terms of the treaty of Saint Germain, the Austrian army is allowed 30,000 men but it has never been up to full strength. Derogation from the Treaty consists in the enlistment of recruits for a new force on short service instead of for the normal 12-year period.

SANCTITY OF TREATY.

It is stipulated that this enlistment will be for not less than five and not more than six months.

The duration of the agreement is limited to necessity but will, it is hoped, be only temporary. It does not imply any precedent or indication of future policy. It is pointed out that very fact that the agreement is being drawn up reinforces the sanctity of Treaty since it constitutes an admission that the Treaty cannot be altered unilaterally.—*British Wireless*.

TRADE MARK TRANSFERS

WARNING GIVEN BY SINGER COMPANY

A warning that transfers bearing the trade mark of the Singer Sewing Machine Company cannot be applied to sewing machines, either old Singer machines or machines of a different make, was sounded by Mr. J. B. Prentiss, this morning.

He appeared for the Singer Sewing Machine Company, against Mr. C. F. Lee, the manager of the China Trading Corporation, Bank of Canton Building, against whom a summons for applying these transfers was withdrawn by Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistrate.

Mr. Prentiss said that the defendants were summoned for having applied transfers bearing the trade mark of the Singer Sewing Machine Company to old Singer machines. The defendants had given full information to the complainants as to where they had obtained these transfers and machines, and the complainants had come to the conclusion that the defendants had not realized it was an offence.

The defendants had agreed to give an undertaking that they would not apply these transfers to machines, whether old Singer machines or of different make, in future and had also paid the costs to the complainants.

Defendants had also agreed to destroy the transfers, except two which they gave complainants to enable them, if possible, to trace the printers. The machines sold would be returned to the defendants. Under the direction

THE NEW OPIUM ORDINANCE

MAGISTRATE EXPLAINS ITS OBJECTS

REVENUE OFFICER AND SOLICITOR

"This ordinance was made to stamp out profits made by landlords and principal tenants in connexion with opium divans," remarked Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning when he imposed a fine of \$250 or three months on a woman, Yeung Shu, whom he convicted on a charge of allowing a man to use the premises at 389 Hennessy Road, Wanchai, as an opium divan, she being the principal tenant.

The man, Leung Kuen, was fined \$100 or eight weeks' gaol on charges of keeping the divan the possession of two mace of illicit opium.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan, who defended the woman contended that the question of occupation should be put by the Revenue Officer to the principal tenant before searching the premises and not after the search.

Revenue Officer Grimmit, for the prosecution, said that opium had to be found before any offence was committed.

MERELY EMBROIDERY.

The magistrate said the position was this. A revenue officer sees an opium divan going on, and he wants to nail the man in charge of that divan first of all. In order to get him the principal tenant was most important. The principal tenant is then taken and confronted with the man and questions are asked as to the payment of rents.

Mr. Kwan argued the ordinance mentioned owner or occupier and in this charge it was the principal tenant. He would submit to his Worship that the description of the person was of paramount importance.

Mr. Wynne-Jones stated he did not agree. The word "principal tenant" was considered merely as a description of a person. It might read "... you being tailor, etc." He regarded the term "principal tenant" as a small piece of embroidery. Defendant was not prosecuted as the principal tenant. It was the only description they could give of her.

The more fact that she admitted being the principal tenant of that floor was not going to secure a conviction. In this case, R. O. Grimmit had stated on oath that the woman admitted being the principal tenant and that she lived on the premises.

Mr. Kwan further argued that the smell of opium and the presence of smoke emitting from a room did not necessarily indicate there was more than one person smoking.

R.O.'S RETORT.

R. O. Grimmit, stated there were three pipes in use in the cockpit.

When Mr. Kwan submitted that the question of occupancy should be asked first, R. O. Grimmit replied—"I strongly object to that. We must find opium first, before an offence has been committed. I think I can do my own work, Mr. Kwan, without you telling me what to do."

JAPANESE FOOTWEAR IN NEW ZEALAND

MOVE TO PROHIBIT RUBBER GOODS.

Auckland, Aug. 25. The Tariff Commission has been asked by the boot trade and the Industrial Association to investigate the effect on health of the wearing of Japanese rubber footwear.

The Association states that rubber which causes perspiration should be treated as noxious and its entry into New Zealand prohibited.—*Reuter*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

HE THAT AVOIDETH NOT SMALL FAULTS, BY LITTLE AND LITTLE FALLTH INTO GREATER.—*Thomas à Kempis*.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Canada" arrived at Shanghai yesterday at 6 p.m. leaves Shanghai to-day at 4 p.m. and is due at Hongkong on the 1st September (Fri.) at 10.30 p.m.

The marriage is announced to take place shortly of Mr. G. G. S. Thomson, chartered electrical engineer, of 80, Mody Road, Kowloon, and Miss Elsie Mary Mowis, private secretary, of Knutsford Hotel.

Ngai Li-shi alias Li Ng-mui, widow, late of 10, and formerly of 15, Third Street, Victoria, died on March 23 leaving local estate valued at \$17,500. Probate of the will was granted to the executor.

CHALLENGE RESISTED

THE U.S. TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

MIXED DOUBLES FINAL

Brookline, Aug. 29.

Organisers of the American national men's and mixed doubles tennis championships got a real hustle on to-day when three matches, including the final, in the mixed doubles were played off.

All overseas competitors were eliminated. Ellsworth Vines and Miss Ryan won the mixed doubles, beating G.M. Lott and Miss Sarah Palfrey in the final, whilst the Australian pair, Turnbull and Quist were beaten in the semi-final of the men's doubles by Lott and Stoeffen.

An error was made last Saturday in the cabling of the Allison and Van Ryn v Turnbull and Quist match, this being a quarter-final and not a semi-final game as stated.

In consequence there will be an all-American final, Lott and Stoeffen meeting Shields and Parker.

The British challenge in the mixed doubles was treated in cavalier manner to-day. Jack Crawford and Miss Peggy Scriven were the first victims in the semi-finals, when they lost to George Lott and Miss Palfrey 10-7, 6-3.

EXIT PERRY AND DOROTHY.

This was succeeded by the defeat of the much fancied English pair, Fred Perry and Miss Dorothy Round. The match was interrupted by rain, but this did not deprive Vines and Miss Ryan of any merit. Their success, with the scores of 6-2, 6-4, was thoroughly deserved.

The pair went on to win the final also in straight sets. The first was a tense struggle, and went to 20 games before Lott and Miss Palfrey faltered. Vines and Miss Ryan were completely on top in the second set and conceded only one game, running off winners by the scores of 11-9, 6-1.

Quist and Turnbull gave a magnificent display of fighting tennis against Lott and Stoeffen. They carried the match the full distance and the fifth set was only decided after twenty games had been played.

The Americans won the opening set, conceded the second, but regained the advantage in the third. The Australians played like men inspired to win the fourth and the last was a thrilling fight.

The scores in favour of Lott and Stoeffen read 6-4, 3-6, 7-5, 2-6, 11-9.—*Reuter*.

PARACHUTE

MISHAP

MAN WHO MARRIED EX-KAISER'S SISTER

Paris, Aug. 20. Alexander Subkoff, who some years ago caused a sensation by marrying the ex-Kaiser's late sister, Princess Victoria of Schaumburg-Lippe, and who has since fallen on evil days, having for the past few months earned a meagre living as a professional parachute jumper, came to grief when performing in the small town of Vörfeldingen, near Metz, on the occasion of the annual fair.

He had jumped from a height of 2,000 feet when he was caught by a strong wind which dragged him for a considerable distance over rough ground.

Subkoff suffered painful injuries and was taken to hospital.

DEATH OF FAMOUS ENGINEER

SIR FRANCIS SPRING PASSES AWAY

(Our Own Correspondent).

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London, Aug. 29.

The death is announced at the age of 84 of Sir Francis Joseph Edward Spring, K.C.I.E.

Sir Joseph will be remembered as one who spent many years of his life in the making and administration of railways in India.

For 33 years he was connected with this work, and for another 15½ years with the development and management of the Port of Madras as Chairman and Chief Engineer of the Port Authority.

He was for over ten years a member of the Madras Legislative Council.

Among his many appointments after entering the Indian Government Engineering Service in 1870 was that of Director of Railway Construction, India, and Deputy-Secretary to the Government of India. He was Under-Secretary for Railways to the Government of Bengal; Engineer-in-Chief of the Kistna Bridge and Engineer-in-Chief and Manager of the East Coast Railway.

For 20 years he was a Fellow of Madras or Calcutta University, a member of the Syndicate of the Madras University and President of its Faculty of Engineering.

He was for seven years Secretary to the Government Madras Public Works Department and Railways, and Senior Government Inspector of Railways. In addition he was Consulting Engineer to the Port of Chittagong.

He was a Hon. Life Member of the Institution of Engineers, India and an Hon. Fellow of the Society of Engineers.

ALLEGED THEFT BY INDIANS

MAN'S LIFE SAVINGS STOLEN

Three unemployed Indians and a private watchman were charged by Detective Sergeant Fitches before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistrate's court this morning, with larceny of money and clothing to the total value of \$705 from Sher Mohamed, 10, Star Street, 3rd floor on August 28.

Walli Dad, Mohamed Ashraf and Sahib Dad, were charged with the larceny of \$500 in money, one ten rupee note, clothing valued at \$150 all contained in a brass bound box, valued at \$45, and with the fourth defendant, Sakander Khan, all were charged with receiving.

The first, second and third accused denied both charges, while the fourth defendant said that the third man had come to his workshop and had deposited the box there. He said that he was going back to India, and requested that it be kept there. He did not know it was stolen property.

Sergeant Fitches said that it was a very mean theft, as the complainant was leaving for India shortly, and the money represented all his life savings.

Hearing of the case was fixed for September 7 at 11 a.m. Bail was fixed at \$500 each.

NEW SOLICITOR ADMITTED

JOINING MESSRS. DENNY'S AND CO.

Mr. Charles Edwin Lowe who has joined Messrs. Denny and Co., solicitors, was admitted to practice in the Hongkong Supreme Court this morning by the Chief Justice, Mr. J. R. Wood.

His admission was proposed by the Attorney General, Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., and was approved the Chief Justice with a few words of formal welcome.

Mr. Lowe came from Abinger Common, Surrey, and Baywater. He was educated at Abington School, Berkshire, and at St. Edmund's College, near Ware, Hert. He was articled to Langham Douglas Langham and Owen, Hastings, and to Messrs. Sanderson, Lee, and Co., and was admitted to practice in England in 1931.

STOCK MARKETS IRREGULAR

The Stock Markets closed with some irregularity. The London market was irregular and the New York market was irregular and the Hong Kong market was irregular.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

SELECTION BY MELODY TEAM FROM THE STUDIO

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.

7-10.30 p.m. European programme.

Capriccio Italian (Italian Caprice) (Tschakovsky, Op. 46).

Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. 0949/50.

7.17-8.20 p.m. Variety.

8 p.m. (Local Time and Weather Report).

Orchestra—Honolulu Moon.

Orchestra—Hawaiian Dreams.

Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra. B2497.

Piano Solo—You've Got me Crying Again.

Piano Solo—Hallelujah, I'm a Tramp Medley.

Orchestra—Rale da Costa. B4463.

Orchestra—I'm Playing with Fire.

Orchestra—Sittin' in the Dark.

John Jackson and His Orchestra. B3322.

Humorous Song—Foolish Facts.

Humorous Song—What Kind of a Noise Annoys an Oyster?

Orchestra—The Church Bells Chiming.

Orchestra—Spanish Gypsy Dance.

Orchestra—Smile, Darn Ya, Smile.

Orchestra—I'm Crazy 'Bout my Baby.

Orchestra—Somebody Loves You.

Orchestra—You Will Remember Vienna.

Orchestra—I Bring a Love Song.

Orchestra—Love of my Dreams.

Orchestra—Twentieth Century Blues.

Orchestra—New Mayfair Novelty Orch. B4001.

Orchestra—Smile, Darn Ya, Smile.

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A WONDERFUL BATSMAN

BIG SCORES THIS SUMMER

London, Aug. 29.
George Headley, the greatest
batsman ever to come out of
the West Indies and certainly
one of the most prolific scorers
in England this summer has
decided to throw in his
lot with Lancashire League
cricket.

The announcement was made
to-day that Headley has definitely
decided to accept an offer by
the Haslingden Club to play in
the Lancashire League, subject
to the terms and conditions offered
by them.

The contract is expected to be
signed in a few days, which means
that Headley will play next season.
Headley has been brilliantly
successful with the West Indies
Test team this summer.

AVERAGE OF 68.

He has seven double figure
innings including three double
centuries. On August 7 he had
scored 1640 runs for an average
of 68.33. His full figures at that
time were:

| Inns | Runs | Inns | Out | Av. |
|-----------------------------------|------|------|-----|-------|
| 27 | 1640 | 224 | 3 | 68.33 |
| In the course of seven innings | | | | |
| Headley this season has scored | | | | |
| 1,308 runs. His best innings have | | | | |
| been: | | | | |
| v M.C.C. | 129 | | | |
| v Glamorgan | 129 | | | |
| v Somerset | 242 | | | |
| v Derbyshire | 200 | | | |
| v Norfolk | 257 | | | |
| v Warwick | 182 | | | |
| v England | 169 | | | |

Apart from his 169 in the
Second Test, Headley has not
been unusually successful against
England this summer. In the first
Test he scored 13 and 50, in the
second 169 and 24, and in the third
9 and 12.

LEAGUE TENNIS

TWO VICTORIES FOR C.R.C.

RECREIO LOSE

On their own courts, the Club de
Recreio were defeated by the United
Services Recreation Club by five sets
to four in the "B" Division of the
Tennis League.

L. A. da Silva and J. J. Remedios
(Recreio) beat H. R. B. Hancock and
E. Grimble, 6-4; 6-4; lost to Lt. War-
ring and Lt. Stocker, 2-6.
J. B. Goncalves and A. E. Xavier
(Recreio) beat Hancock and Grimble,
6-4; lost to Cannon and Barry, 3-6;
lost to Waring and Stocker, 6-3.
Dr. A. P. Gutierrez and E. A.
Noronha (Recreio) lost to Hancock
and Grimble, 6-3; lost to Cannon and
Barry, 6-3; lost to Waring and
Stocker, 6-7.

NINE SETS TO NIL.

The Chinese Recreation Club "A"
team engaged the Craigengower C.C.
in the "A" Division of the Tennis
League at Causeway Bay yesterday
and won by nine sets to nil.

Their "C" Division team also en-
gaged the Police Recreation Club at
home, and won by 7 sets to 2.

K. M. Wong and H. O. Tse playing
in the "C" Division match had to con-
cede one set to their opponents, Pilo
and Carruthers, after only two games
had been played, as Tse suddenly took
ill and had to leave the court.

M. W. Lo and Tsui Yat-pui
(C.R.C.) beat J. W. Leonard and G.
Lin, 7-5; beat R. Choa and A. V.
Gosano, 6-2; beat W. Reed and Tsui
Yun-pui, 6-4.

W. C. Hung and Lu Tak-chenk
(C.R.C.) beat Leonard and Lin, 6-2;
beat Choa and Gosano, 6-2; beat Reed
and Tsui, 6-4.

Ng Yau-chuen and Chiu Tsun-chiu
(C.R.C.) beat Leonard and Lin, 6-4;
beat Choa and Gosano, 6-1; beat Reed
and Tsui, 6-3.

C.R.C. v. POLICE.

The Chinese R.C. defeated the
Police R.C. by 7 sets to 2 on the home
courts.

K. M. Wong and H. O. Tse (C.R.C.)
lost to Pilo and Carruthers, 6-2
(abandoned); beat Smith and Thomp-
son, 6-3; beat Barry and Loughlin,
6-3.

This is the first successful Channel
swim since 1920.
As Miss Lowry was finishing, Miss
Mercedes Glazes, E. H. Tammo, and
Charles Glazes, the Channel swimmers,
were seen in the water.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Surrey (402-8 dec. and 193-4) beat Middlesex (247 and 347) by
six wickets.
Lancashire (334 and 191) beat Leicester (234 and 120) by 171
runs.
Kent (336 and 316-7 dec.) beat Notts (331 and 208-2) on first
innings.
Somerset (282 and 234) beat Warwick (153 and 305-7) on first
innings.
Derby (583-3 dec.) beat Northants (224 and 130) by an innings
and 184 runs.
Worcester (402-4 dec.) beat Glamorgan (190 and 205) by innings
and seven runs.

FRIENDLY.

The Army (472-8 dec. and 149-5 dec.) drew with West Indies
(346 and 181-4).

HYDE-LAY IN FINAL

BEATS COATES IN BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIP

FINE DISPLAY OF CONSISTENCY

COATES WORTHY LOSER

A Hyde-Lay fully justified
the confidence of his friends
yesterday when he defeated
A.E. Coates, the Craigengower
player in the semi-final of the
lawn bowls open singles cham-
pionship by 21 shots to 17.

The K.C.C. exponent played
steadily against a dour fighter and
it was this which allowed Hyde-
Lay to retain a winning lead which
he obtained early in the game.

Neither man indulged in "fire-
works" or bowls of a very specu-
lar nature, but they were consis-
tent, and there were several un-
usually good heads.

OPPORTUNITIES TAKEN.

In reaching the final for the first
time in his career, Hyde-Lay has
throughout revealed exceptionally
reliable form and a continuance of
this will make him a difficult player
either for Luz or Bradbury to beat.

He seized all his opportunities
on the Police green yesterday, nurs-
ing his first shots with clever cover
woods, and it was his skill in this
direction which prevented Coates,
who played good bowls, from win-
ning.

To-day, B. W. Bradbury, the last
Craigengower representative left
in the competition and R. F. Luz,
of the Recoelo met at Kowloon
Bowling Green Club for right of
playing Heyde Lay in the final.

AUSTRIA WINS

QUALIFY FOR 1934 DAVIS CUP

Zagreb, Aug. 29.
Austria are the second team to
qualify for the 1934 competition
proper of the Davis Cup.

To-day they completed their
quarter-final tie with Yugoslavia,
winning by four matches to one.
They thus accompany Italy into
next year's tournament.—Reuter.

ARMY HARBOUR TEAM RACE

Four Teams Taking Part

The Army Cross Harbour Team
Race is to be held on Wednesday,
next starting from Railway Pier,
Kowloon, and finishing at the
R.A.S.G. Camber, Hongkong.

The teams competing will be dis-
tinguished as follows: R.A.,
red caps; Lincolns, blue caps; South
Wales Borderers, white caps;
small units, no caps.

The Railway has kindly placed
the verandah at Kowloon at the dis-
posal of officers and their families
as spectators, and the colonnade and
sea-front have been placed at the
disposal of other ranks. No spec-
tators will be allowed on the Railway
Pier.

CHANNEL VICTORY.

London, Aug. 29.

Miss Sonny Lowry, a Manchester
girl, aged 22 years, swam the Channel
from Cape Gris Nez to the South
Foreland, in 15 hours, 45 minutes.

This is the first successful Channel
swim since 1920.
As Miss Lowry was finishing, Miss
Mercedes Glazes, E. H. Tammo, and
Charles Glazes, the Channel swimmers,
were seen in the water.



Hyde-Lay in Action yesterday
(Photo: Ming Yuen).

THE BITER BIT

GIANTS PLAYED AT OWN GAME

BLANK OUT AND BLANKED OUT

New York, Aug. 29.

New York Giants had a rather
an unusual experience to-day
when, after blanking out St. Louis
in the first match of a double
header, they were themselves dis-
missed without scoring.

The Yankees were in scoring
mood against Detroit, helping
themselves to eleven runs, and the
Senators and Cleveland broke
even in a double header.

Reuter cabled the following
scores:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| | R. | H. | E. |
|----------|----|----|----|
| Brooklyn | 13 | 18 | 1 |
| Chicago | 5 | 9 | 3 |
| Brooklyn | 2 | 7 | 1 |
| Chicago | 6 | 9 | 1 |

(Mosolf homered for Chicago)

| | | | |
|--------------|---|----|---|
| Philadelphia | 1 | 5 | 1 |
| Pittsburgh | 4 | 14 | 1 |
| New York | 3 | 6 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 5 | 0 |

(Hubbell pitched and blanked
out St. Louis)

| | | | |
|-----------|---|---|---|
| New York | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 2 | 4 | 0 |

(Walker pitched and blanked
out New York and also homered
for St. Louis)

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

| | | | |
|-----------|----|----|---|
| St. Louis | 10 | 14 | 1 |
| Boston | 8 | 14 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 4 | 6 | 1 |
| Boston | 9 | 13 | 0 |

(Reynolds homered for St.
Louis and Cooke for Boston)

(Johnson and Werber homered
for Boston)

| | | | |
|----------|----|----|---|
| Detroit | 0 | 14 | 0 |
| New York | 11 | 12 | 0 |

(Lazzari homered for New
York)

| | | | |
|--------------|----|----|---|
| Chicago | 11 | 16 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 5 | 10 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 1 | 7 | 0 |
| Washington | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Cleveland | 7 | 11 | 2 |
| Washington | 2 | 2 | 1 |

At a meeting of the Y.M.C.A.
Hokey Club last evening, under the
chairmanship of Mr. J. H. Hunt,
the following officers were elected
for the coming season: Chairman

CRICKET FIZZLING OUT

TALL SCORING AGAIN

THREE WORCESTER CENTURIES

HOPWOOD'S ALL ROUND FORM

London, Aug. 29.

Interest in the county cricket
championship is rapidly declin-
ing. Next week will see the
last games being played, and
although the title is no longer
at stake, teams will concentrate
on improving their present
standings in the league table.

These have not been materially
affected by the latest results
which provide victories for Surrey,
Lancashire, Derbyshire and Wor-
cester.

Kent and Somerset managed to
capture first innings points.

Among the features of the play
was Derbyshire's huge score of
583 for 3 wickets. It was obtain-
ed against Northants in a match
which Derby won by an innings
and which realised over 900 runs.

Three batsmen liberally contrib-
uted to the enormous total.
Townsend, Smith and Lee all scor-
ing centuries.

ALL-ROUND HOPWOOD.

Worcester were also in scoring
mood against Glamorgan and ag-
gregated 402 for the loss of 4
wickets before closing the innings.
Nichol, the Worcester batsman
earned the distinction of making
the highest individual score in the
county games.

To Hopwood, however, fell the
chief honours of the day. He
played a vital part in the victory
of Lancashire against Leicester.
In addition to scoring 110 out
of a total of 334, he took nine
wickets for 33 runs.

Brook the Worcester bowler was
also in fine fettle and in two in-
nings claimed ten victims for 153
runs.

UNAVAILING EFFORT.

Middlesex made a big effort to
stave off defeat against Surrey,
battling a second time and scoring
347.

Surrey obtained too big a lead
on the first innings and Middlesex
were unable to make up sufficient
leeway. To the first innings score
of 247 by Middlesex, Surrey re-
plied with 402 for 3 declared. The
losers battled with far more con-
fidence in their return visit and
actually scored 347, setting Sur-
rey the task of making 193 to win.

This Hobbs and Company did with
six wickets to spare.
The Army easily held their own
against the West Indies. Hudson
(181) and Hamilton (121) hit the
West Indies bowling to all parts
of the field and the Army were
able to apply the closure at 472
for 8.

West Indies replied quite con-
fidently aggregating 346, and after
the Army had declared a second
time at 149 for 5, the visitors
played out time hitting up 181 for
the loss of four wickets.

HONOURS LIST.

BATTING.

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| Hudson (Army) v W. Indies | 181 |
| Nichol (Worcester) v Glamorgan | 165* |
| Townsend (Derby) v Northants | 142 |
| Smith (Derby) v Northants | 129* |
| F.R. Brown (Surrey) v Mid- dlesex | 128 |
| Leo (Derby) v Northants | 128 |
| Hamilton (Army) v W. Indies | 121 |
| Hendren (Middlesex) v Surrey | 111 |
| Hopwood (Lancs) v Leicester | 110 |
| Senley (W. Indies) v Army | 106* |
| Haig (Middlesex) v Surrey | 101 |
| Repton (Notts) v Kent | 100 |

* signifies not out

BOWLING.

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Brook (Worcester) v | 5 for 68 |
| Glamorgan and | 5 for 85 |
| Hopwood (Lancs) v Le- icester | 9 for 33 |
| Fender (Surrey) v Mid- dlesex | 7 for 73 |
| Wellard (Somerset) v | 6 for 39 |
| Warwick | 6 for 39 |
| Mayer (Warwick) v | 5 for 51 |
| Somerset | 5 for 51 |
| Vance (Notts) v Kent | 5 for 80 |

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TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

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H'kong Bank, London, \$129 n.
Chartered Bank, \$155 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B.
\$24 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$97 n.
East Asia, \$104 sa.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4.75 n.
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5.00 n.

Insurance.

Canton Ins., \$320 n.
Union Ins., \$665 n.
China Underwriters, \$1.80 b.
China Fire, \$695 n.
H.K. Fire, Ins., \$290 n.
International Assoc. Sh. \$6.80 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$32 1/2 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$18 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.), \$30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$35 n.
Shells (Bearer), \$6/7 1/2 n.
Union Waterboats, \$15 n.

Mining.

Benguets, \$42 1/2 b.
Kailans, \$30/9 n.
Langkate (Single), Sh. \$17 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$4 n.
Shai Loans, Sh. \$6.40 n.
Raubs, \$11.70 b.
Venz: Goldfields, \$5 1/2 b.
Benguet Exp., \$2 1/2 cts. b.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$128 s.
H.K. Docks, \$16 1/2 n.
S. China Motors A., \$0 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$3.80 n.
Providents (new), \$1.35 n.
Hongkew, Sh. \$343 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$7 1/4 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$14 1/2 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6.40 n.
H.K. Lands, \$76 1/2 sa.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$32 n.
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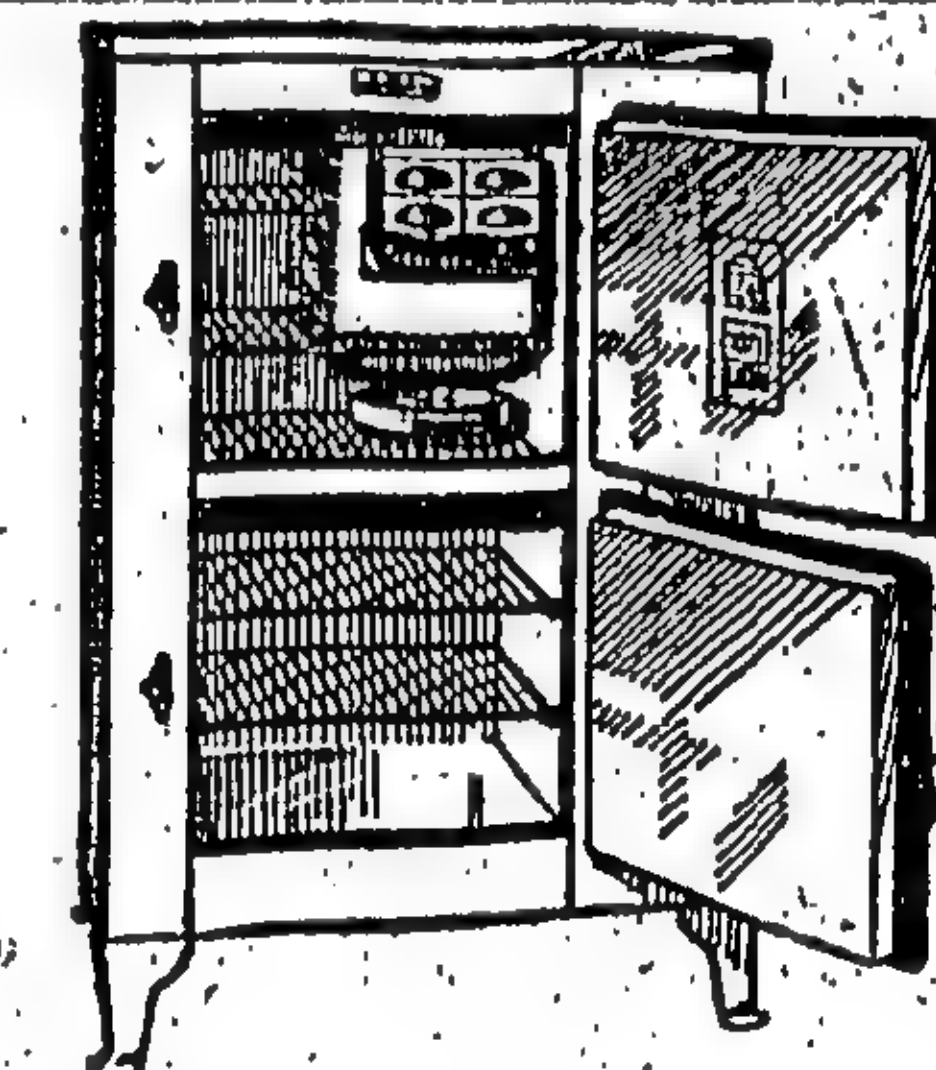
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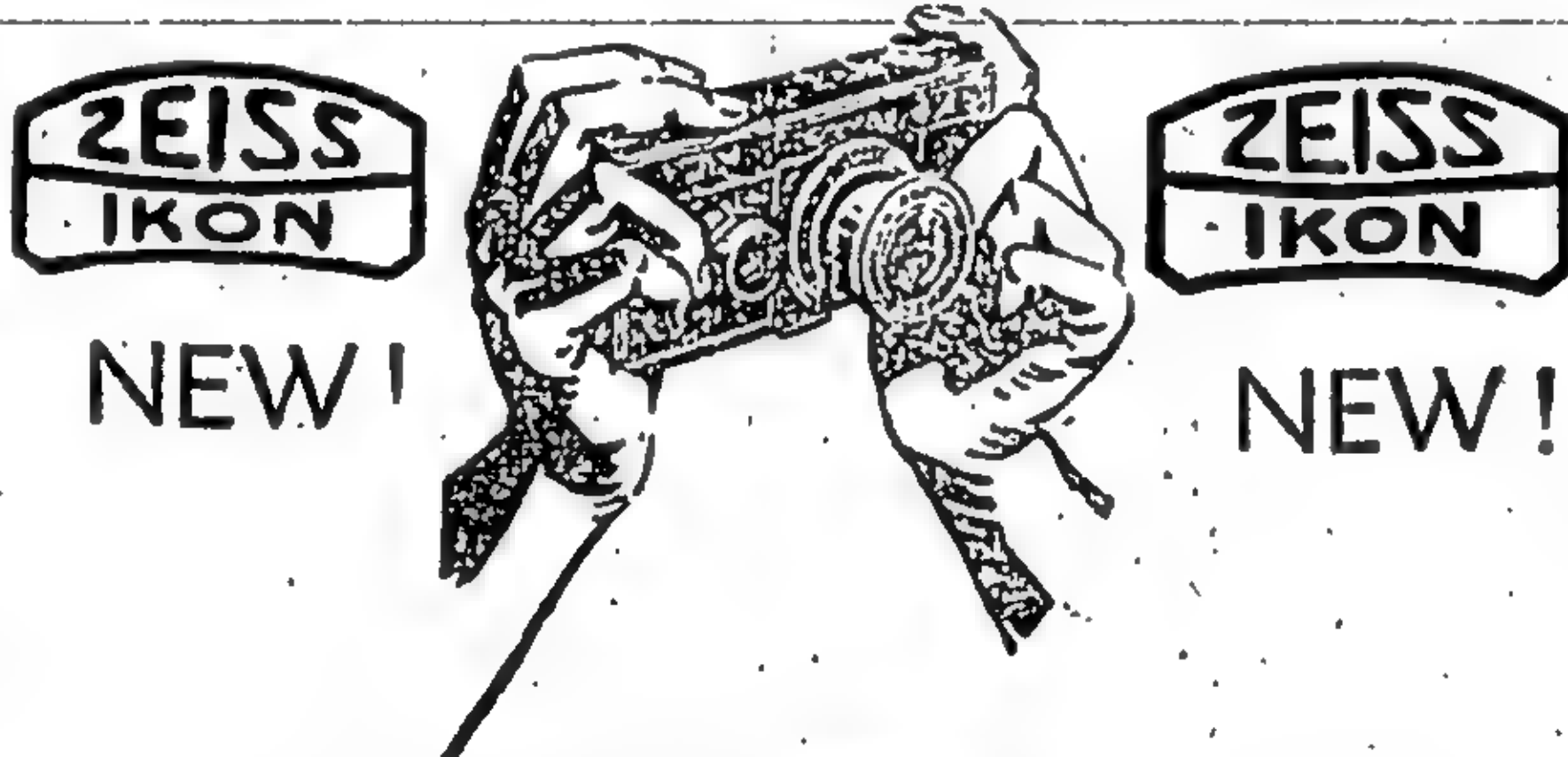
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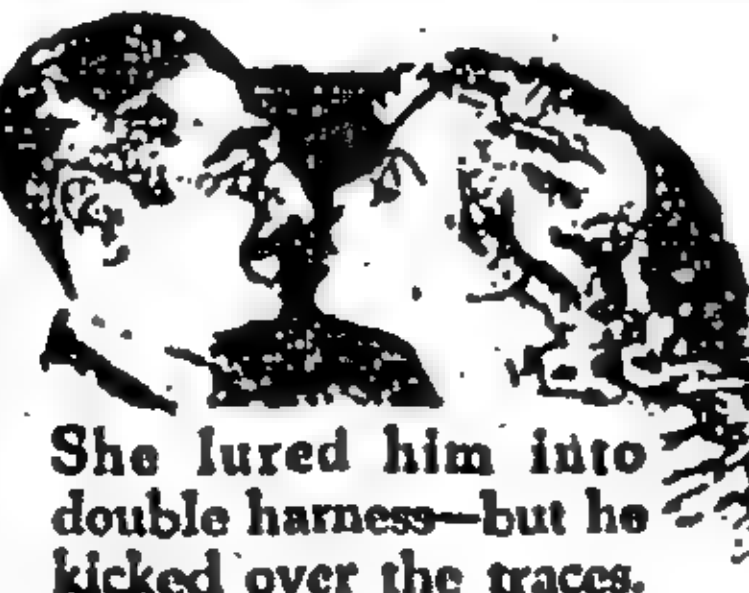
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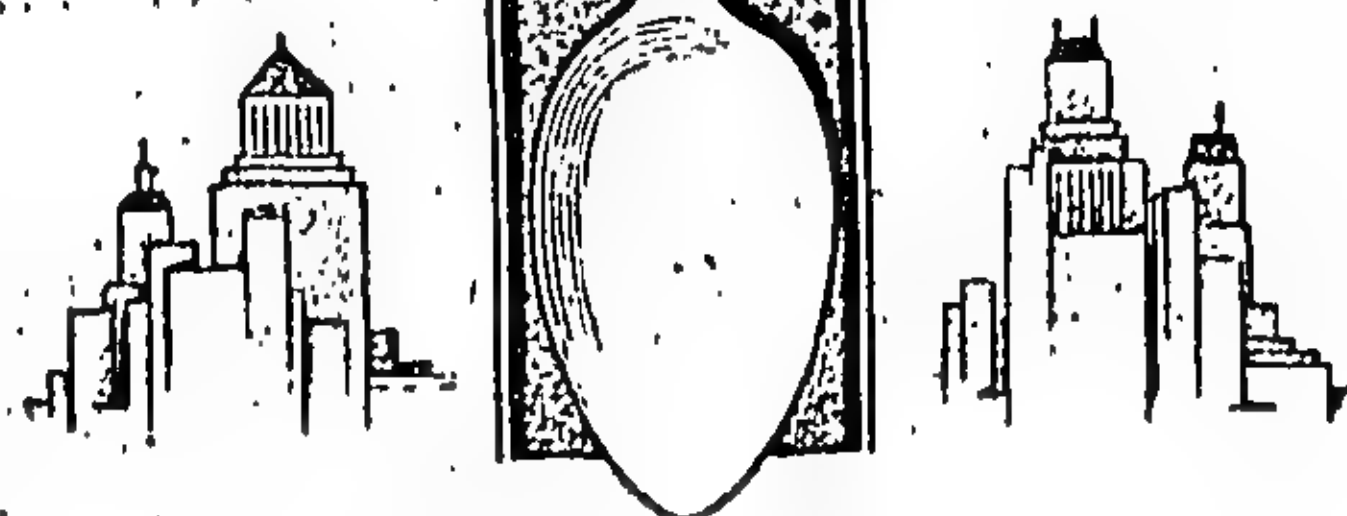
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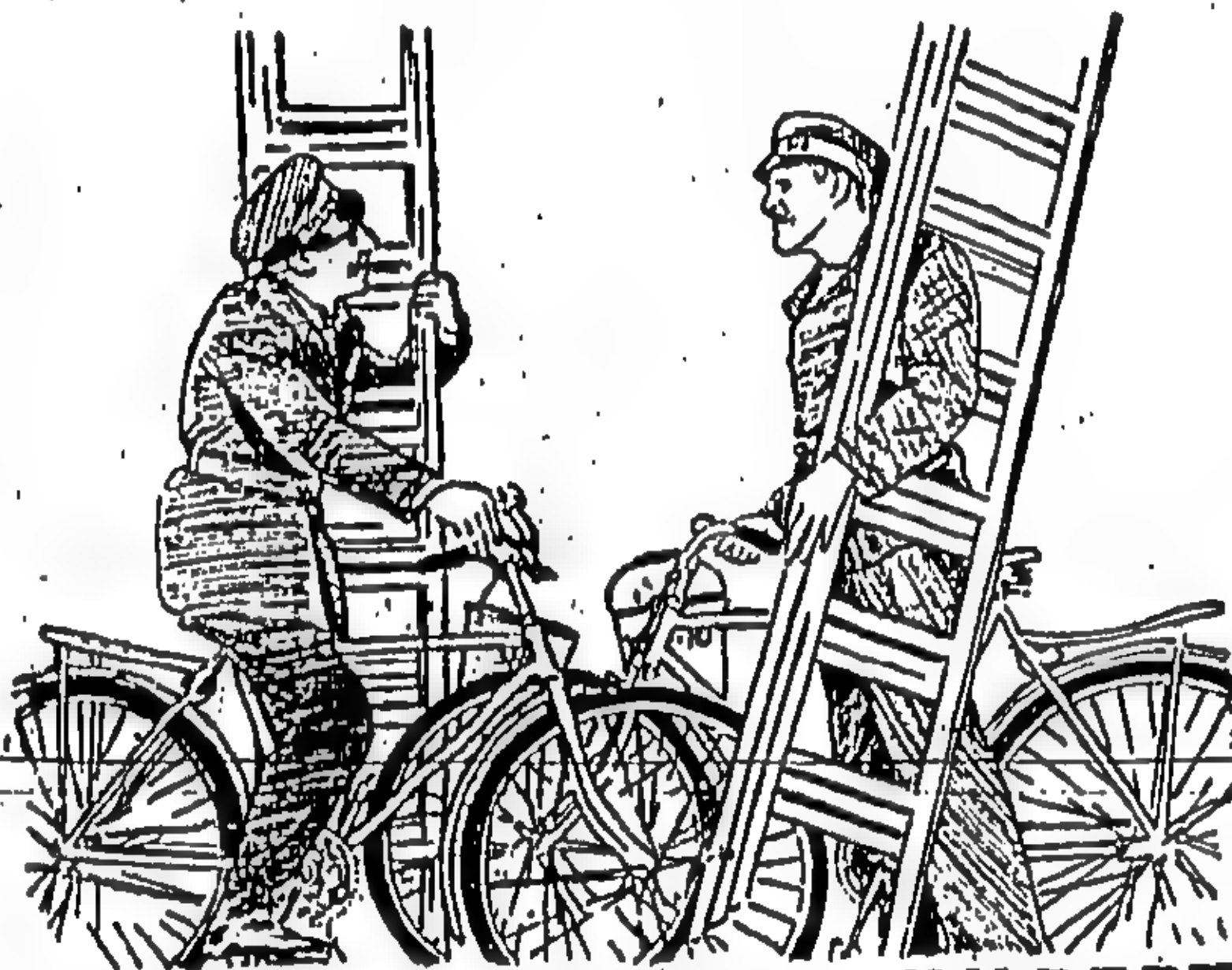
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Editor,

The Shanghai Times.

Sir,—I would like to venture to
suggest that the enclosed copy of
a letter from Mr. Bernard Shaw to
Dr. Franz Halser is of sufficient
interest to justify the further
publication of your columns. I may
add that Dr. Halser is an eminent
Austrian sympathiser with the
Nazi idea in Germany but one who
has evidently had some lurking
doubt in regard to the ruthless
methods of its administration.
Hence presumably his request to
Mr. Bernard Shaw for an expres-
sion of opinion, knowing no doubt
that Mr. Shaw is never backward
in these matters! Mr. Shaw's ad-
mission that there is no such thing
as a Superman is also interesting
and may be useful for future re-
cord.

INTERESTED.

Shanghai, August 24, 1933.

Dear Dr. Halser,—Do not waste
your time on this pseudo-Nietz-
schean nonsense about a Nordic
race. There is no such thing as
the Nordic race; and very soon
there will be no such thing as a
race in the world except the race
of the greyhound after the electric
hare. Leave all that to the roman-
tic and ignorant Americans, who
happen to be, like myself, blonde
and six feet high.

LEADERS OF MEN.

What there is, and probably
always will be during our epoch,
is the solid fact that out of every
hundred persons only five at most
will be capable of making decisions
and giving directions. Whether
the five are called Nordics, or
blonde beasts, or simply bosses,
does not matter a scrap. In Ire-
land my family called themselves
"the Howes" (as you would say
"the Howenollers"), but they
contained the full normal percent-
age of human rank-and-file. It is
pleasant for Hans and Fritz to
imagine themselves Allerhochs,
because they have flaxen hair and
blue eyes; but most of them are
being ordered about by hokooned
Hittites and blonde Philistines
whose ancestors came from the
south, not of the Baltic, but of the
Dead Sea.

I have never taught "the
biological gospel of a new race-
aristocracy." My contempt for
that disguise of simple snobbery
is unbounded. I have declared
steadily that what we need is a
scientific test of human capacity
(not of ability to pass examina-
tions) and the classification of
rulers by the popular vote, or of
Cabinets by Parliament, being
limited to members of the appro-
priate grades.

Until such a test is discovered
we must insist on absolute equality
of income. Without this iron
basis real eminence has no chance
of asserting or developing itself
except by the rarest of strokes of
luck. This is the secret of the
importance and final indispen-
sability of Socialism.

NO SUPERMEN.

There is no such thing as a
Superman. There are super
mathematicians like Einstein, and
super playwrights like myself; but
they are bungling amateurs in a
dozen other departments of human
activity. In the theatre I am my
chauffeur's master; but in the
garage he is mine. You write
English better than 999 out of
every 1,000 educated Englishmen;
but in China, probably you would
be the slave of an interpreter.

We shall never learn anything
about the arts of government
from writers like Marx and
Nietzsche, who never had to
govern anyone or administer a vote
or a revenue. Lenin had very soon
to tell his fellow-apostles of
Marxism that there was not a clerk
with ten years office experience
who did not know more than they
about practical business. It was
my six years experience as a
municipal councillor that enabled
me to understand history. I know
barely enough German to under-
stand the titles of your books, and
nothing on earth would induce me
to read one of them, though your
letter is amusing enough to extract
this answer from me on a very
wet day in Stresa. Thank you for
it.

Faithfully,
G. BERNARD SHAW.

NEW MINISTERS.

NANKING APPOINTS TWO
ENVOYS.

Nanking, Aug. 20.

It is confirmed from authori-
tative sources that Liu Tung-chi
will shortly be appointed Chinese
Minister to Nanking.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET STEADY

According to Messrs. Swan, Cul-
bertson and Feltz, the New York
market was steady yesterday. Busi-
ness done 3,120,000 shares. The
Wall Street Journal report on yester-
day's market:

President Roosevelt's order per-
mitting the export of newly mined
gold turned a sinking market into a
bull movement near the close, clog-
ging tickers and costing shorts
millions of dollars. Goldmining
shares rose sensationally with Home-
state jumping 15 points to a level of
300. The remainder of the list
followed the advance recouping losses
which in some instances were seven
points. Our New York Office cable
(This morning):

Stocks: Midday reaction technical.
Closing rally was due to plans for
gold market. Ralls were a strong
feature with utilities acting better.
Buying is recommended on reactions.
Wheat: The market declined and
liquidation by tired holders and
weakness in stocks and securities.
There is no news to account for it.
and regardless of market action
favour purchases. Cotton: Early
liquidation induced by eagerness of
speculators and sterling and also
increased crop estimate by a pre-
minent private agency. The market,
however, recovered later on tick-
er report of the Treasury's decision to
allow export and sale of newly mined
gold. Silver: The trend of the
market is indecisive. Higher
prices are expected to-morrow. Our
New York Office cable (Last Night):

Stocks: The market is not as re-
sponsive to overnight decline in the
dollar as it was to yesterday's ad-
vance. Rail coordinator moves to
increase equipment buying. There
are rumors of an increase in
cigarette prices. Wheat: Liverpool
action coldest. The weakness of
sterling affected new buyers. Argon-
tine news created apprehension.
News generally bullish but the market
lacks leadership. Purchases advised
on declines.

Dow-Jones averages:

| | Aug. 28 | Aug. 29 |
|----------------|---------|---------|
| 30 Industrials | 104.72 | 103.50 |
| 20 Ralls | 53.60 | 53.81 |
| 20 Utilities | 31.05 | 31.11 |
| 40 Bonds | 87.62 | 87.57 |
| Alaska Juneau | | |
| Mining Co. | 28 1/2 | 32 |

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Borg Warner

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N. Y.

Continental Oil

Corn Products

Douglas Aircraft

Drug Inc.

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Electric Bond

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General Foods

General Motors

General Railway

Signal

Gold Dust

Goodyear Tyre & Rubber

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MURDERER HANGED

EXECUTION AT GAOL THIS MORNING

Fan Hing, 20, sentenced to death by the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Wood, at the July Criminal Sessions for the murder, by strangulation, of Po Mui, aged 60, a widow, in a Shaokwan backyard was hanged in Victoria Gaol at 5.01 a.m. this morning. The execution was carried out in the presence of Mr. Hopkins (Superintendent of Prisons), Dr. Griffith (Gaol Medical Officer) and Chief Warden Buchanan. At the trial, the jury composed of Messrs. F. Mow Fung, (Foreman), H. A. Castro, J. A. S. Alves, O. B. Raven, D. Ellis, A. D. S. Gomes, and H. D. Brown, returned the following verdict:—

"We find the accused guilty of murder, with a strong recommendation to mercy, as we think he was acting under the undue domination of the woman."

Fan Hing's wife, who was released from custody at the conclusion of the trial, immediately disappeared from Hongkong. At 12.15 p.m. to-day, Mr. Schofield, sitting as Coroner in the Central Magistracy, conducted a formal enquiry into the death of Fan Hing.

After hearing the evidence of the Chief Warden and Dr. Griffith, the jury, composed of Messrs. S. Longfield (foreman), D. D. McKay and Lui Wai-cheung, returned a unanimous verdict that prisoner met his death by judicial hanging.

ITALIAN CABINET REFORM

NEW MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

Paris, Aug. 25. Despatches received here from Rome indicate that the Italian Premier, Signor Mussolini, is contemplating a far-reaching reconstruction of his Cabinet. In this connexion it is rumoured that Italian Ambassador to London, Signor Dino Grandi, will be recalled and entrusted anew with the portfolio of Foreign Affairs.

Signor Mussolini is further credited with the intention to establish a Ministry of National Defence, which will comprise three departments—war, navy and air. He will head this Ministry himself and Air Marshal Balbo, who is now Minister of Air, will be appointed chief of general staff for the land, sea, and air forces. Count Cesare de Vecchi will relinquish his post as Ambassador to the Holy See and will take the place of Signor Federzoni as president of the Senate. It is also freely stated that there will be an around shift among the under-secretaries of state.

MOMOYAMA MARU SINKING

CREW ALL REPORTED SAFE

Mahila, Aug. 25. The Japanese s.s. Momoyama Maru is sinking in mid-Pacific, according to S. O. S. calls picked up here this afternoon by the station of the Radio Corporation of America. All members of the crew have been safely removed, the message subsequently reported. Distress calls and later messages telling of the foundering of the Momoyama Maru came from a steamer which signed with the call letters JFQ. Radio Corporation officials and shipping men here have been unable to identify this signature. According to the first S. O. S., the position of the Momoyama Maru was given as 109.40 east and 17.13 north.

TANNA TUNNEL COMPLETED

END OF TWELVE YEARS' HARD WORK

Tokyo, Aug. 25. After twelve years' hard work and the expending of a huge amount of money, the Tanna Tunnel, one of the most difficult engineering feats in the world, was completed to-day, when the main tunnel route was successfully cut.

The Tanna Tunnel, connecting Atami with the other side of the Izu mountains, will considerably speed up the train service on the Tokaido main line, which is now run through the mountainous Hakone Pass.

It is expected that the ceremony in commemoration of the completion of the work will be held in the near future.

CLAIM BY GREAT CHINA HOTEL

FOR POSSESSION OF PREMISES

The Great China Hotel Ltd., 119, Connaught Road Central, made a claim for possession of premises and arrears of rent in an ex parte action before the Chief Justice at the Supreme Court this morning. Defendant was Hing Wai-chin, of 19-20 Connaught Road, and 237-239, Des Voeux Road.

The claim was for possession of the premises and arrears amounting to \$16,031 less \$500 paid on account. Plaintiff further claimed mesne profits from the date of the writ until possession of the premises was given up.

Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Mr. J. B. Prentiss, of Messrs. Hastings and Co., stated for the plaintiff that the premises were leased for 10 years commencing September, 1930. A deposit of \$50,000 made by defendant was in his client's possession but there was no question of forfeit and when the arrears had been paid the balance would be restored to Hing Wai-chin. Since the writ was issued \$8,600 more had been paid by defendant who was quite willing to give up possession.

Judgment was given for the balance of the arrears, the mesne profits, and for possession to be given up.

POPE IN MOTOR MISHAP

TYRE BURSTS ON RETURN FROM LAKE

Vatican City, Aug. 24. Cheering crowds greeted the arrival of the Pope when he paid a visit this morning to Castel Gandolfo, his summer residence on Lake Albano, near Rome.

The Pontiff appeared on the balcony and blessed the waiting throngs, some of whom wept with joy.

His Holiness inspected the old Papal palace, including the private chapel, where he admired the work of Van Rosen, the Polish painter, which a Pope ordered to be memorized his sojourn in Poland as Papal Legate during the reign of Benedict IV in the year 900.

A slight mishap marked the return journey to the Vatican, a tyre of the Pope's motor car bursting. The Pontiff unofficially stood on Italian soil for five minutes during the tyre changing.—Reuter.

ITALIAN AIR ARMADA

ROUND FLIGHT OF EUROPE

Rome, Aug. 20. Air Marshal Balbo and his famous armada of planes will probably make in the future a round flight of Europe in order to visit the principal capitals, namely, Berlin, Paris, London, Brussels, Moscow, Vienna and Budapest.

It is stated in informed quarters that the round flight will be undertaken at Signor Mussolini's express wish. Il Duce having declared that Fascist Italy's word of honour is involved, definite promises having been made in his respect.

It is therefore anticipated that Marshal Balbo and his companions on the historic trans-Atlantic flight will take off on their European tour within the next few weeks.

DOGS WITHOUT MUZZLES

THREE EUROPEANS SUMMONED

Mr. D. J. Lewis, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, was summoned before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning in connection with an unmuzzled dog. Mr. D. Brittain Evans, appeared on the defendant's behalf, pleaded guilty and was fined \$8.

Mrs. Vannini, Shaokwan Road, was fined \$10 in respect of two unmuzzled dogs, while a fine of \$8, was imposed on Mr. H. R. Sequerra and Mrs. Ho, Robinson Road.

Summoned for having no license for his dog and allowing it to be abroad unmuzzled, Mrs. W.

BOOTBLACK PROBLEM.

SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENT NOW REACHED

It is learned that, following sympathetic discussions between Mr. Wynne-Jones and the Inspector General of Police, the local boot-black "menace" has now been circumvented. Special passes, with photographs attached, are to be issued to 24 Chinese youngsters and sites allotted by the Police authorities from which the boys will not be allowed to stray. The three local firms maintaining bootblacks on behalf of well-known brands of polish will be permitted to have six boys each, whilst passes will be allotted to six unattached boys.

This decision was made known to the companies concerned by the Inspector General yesterday morning at an interview held in his office at Police Headquarters. Mr. Wolfe pointed out that however sympathetically the authorities viewed the efforts of these youngsters to earn a livelihood, usual hawkers' licenses could not be granted as the occupation of shining shoes did not come under the provisions of hawking regulations. He insisted that only young boys should be engaged for the work, and suggested that the age limit be fixed at 12 years. This would eliminate the older boys who ought to be employed in other directions and who now, it had been reported, intimidated the younger bootblacks and drove them from their pitches.

The Inspector General's suggestions and decision in the matter met with the full approval of the representatives of the local firms attending the interview.

The 24 authorized bootblacks will come under the attention of the Officer in charge of the Hawkers Department, and unregistered boys be dealt with as unlicensed hawkers. This will the local bootblack industry be regulated and complaints from pedestrians and office owners obviated.

NORMAN'S VISIT

PURPOSE OF TALK WITH ROOSEVELT

New York, Aug. 29. The object of Mr. Montagu Norman's visit to the United States continues to evoke lively speculation, while in some quarters it is dismissed as "just another mystery of Mr. Norman's."

Banking circles stress that Mr. Norman's visit is not purely social as he is believed to be convinced that sterling and dollar stabilisation is essential for world recovery.

While official circles emphasise that tea party talks do not imply any immediate change in the American financial policy, Mr. Norman's visit may possibly influence President Roosevelt's future policy.

Mr. Roosevelt is not likely to commit himself to any fresh monetary policy until the results of his National Recovery Campaign are available; but it is believed that Mr. Norman will urge a measure of temporary stabilisation of exchanges, to help, rather than hinder, the recovery movement in the United States.—Reuter.

PITMAN'S SHORTHAND.

RESULTS OF RECENT EXAMINATION

Under the tuition of Miss Basmie and Mrs. Blandford, the following Technical Institute students (Hongkong and Kowloon classes) have gained Pitman's Shorthand Certificates:—

Theory, Stage II—C. M. Agon, L. Calman, L. Gooswa, W. N. Lee, Speed, 50 words a minute—To Kam Hung, Wong Ting Chun.

Sixty words a minute—M. S. Bander, Chan Sik Ping, N. Gill, Lam Hing Yan, Leung Yung Keng, I. L. Woolley.

Seventy words a minute—Chan Sik Ping, Chan Ye Chun, G. S. Edwards, Ho Yan Chu.

Eighty words a minute—N. M. Anniss, Chan King Wei, Ho Chok Nam, Wong Yuk Shu.

Ninety words a minute—Li Shing Yung, Wong Yuk Shu.

IRAK EXECUTION OF PRISONERS

COMMANDER RELIEVED OF DUTIES

London, Aug. 21. The commander of the Northern Iraq troops, Bakir Lidqui Bey, who is held chiefly responsible for the massacre of the Assyrian Christians, has been relieved of his duties, according to press reports, which state that Bakir Bey is charged with having ordered 14 Assyrian prisoners to be executed.

If this assertion should prove correct he will probably be court-martialed. Mr. King Pasha is reported anxious to give proof of his good will before the arrival of the British forces.

BLACKMAIL PLAN?

CHINESE CHARGED WITH UTTERING THREATS

"There is quite a lot of this going on, I understand, in the boarding houses in the Colony. It is a sort of indirect blackmail—threatening and putting the fear of God into peaceful and law-abiding citizens," said Mr. F. Y. D'Almada junior, prosecuting, Xu Cheung, unemployed, at the Central Police Court yesterday afternoon, for using abusive and threatening language to Wong Lan-hok, manager of the Wing Wo Dye shop, 39, Tung Man Street.

The case was heard by Mr. Wynne-Jones who convicted the defendant and bound him over in a sum of \$100 to come up for judgment within twelve months, if called upon.

Mr. D'Almada said he had leave from the I. C. P. to prosecute. The defendant, as far as the complainant knew, had no occupation, and frequently visited a relative who was working in the dye shop. Complainant resented this and told him to go. On August 15, defendant brought a woman with him and accused the complainant of having taken her to a Chinese hotel. This he denied and requested the defendant to leave. The next day, complainant received an anonymous letter, signed in the name of a woman, and in which threatening terms were used. The prosecution was not putting in this letter as it could not be proved that defendant, or anybody else, was the writer, said Mr. D'Almada.

On August 24, defendant returned with the woman, and similarly accused the complainant. On being told to go, defendant, prior to leaving, was alleged to have uttered the words—"How would you like to die? Would you like to be shot dead with a revolver or stabbed to death with a dagger?" Complainant ordered his foki to blow a police whistle. Defendant ran and was eventually arrested in Wellington Street.

Complainant, in evidence, bore out his solicitor's statements, and said defendant accused him of having slept with the woman at the Ping On boarding house.

Regarding the letter, his Worship held it was not relevant and Mr. D'Almada agreed.

Wong Cheung, assistant accountant, gave corroborative evidence. He stated the woman's name was Ah Chut, but he had not seen her before August 15.

A foki, Wong Tong, deposed to arresting the defendant after a run through Wing On Street and Gilman Street to Wellington Street.

"Willing to be Hanged."

"I am quite willing to be hanged if I did say those words" stated the defendant from the dock.

The Magistrate: "Don't be silly."

Defendant: The complainant turned pale when he saw the woman.

The Magistrate: I think this man should be examined. There is certainly something peculiar about him.

Defendant, replying to his Worship, said he wished to call two foks from the shop, as his witnesses. As they were not in Court, his Worship ordered they be telephoned for immediately.

The Court adjourned for a few minutes and sat again when one of the foks, Wong Hin-cheung, 16, arrived. It was stated the other foki was not at the shop.

Prior to the adjournment the defendant had entered the witness stand and said that the accusations were entirely false. He alleged complainant engaged the second witness to give evidence. He did not know what the girl was, but he (defendant) loved her.

Wong Hin-cheung stated defendant was his maternal uncle. On August 24, defendant came with a woman, Ah Chut, to the shop, and he wanted to strike the master. Witness could not remember defendant's words.

His Worship remarked he had no doubt that defendant did commit the offence.

Mr. D'Almada—I ask your Worship not to give him the maximum penalty but to give him a substantial fine or a prison term if he cannot pay the fine. There is quite a lot of this going on, I understand, with the boarding houses in the Colony.

The Magistrate decided to bind the defendant over in a sum of \$100 to come up for judgment within a year. "I recommend you, defendant, to keep away from the shop altogether," he added.

BUTTER RECORDS

AUSTRALIAN OUTPUT TREBLED

For the first time on record butter exports from Australia have exceeded 100,000 tons in a year. Shipments for the past twelve months were 100,234 tons, of which 92,879 tons were taken by the United Kingdom, says Austral News.

The dairy industry, especially in the Eastern States, has made

LOCAL STREET SLEEPERS

URGENT NEED FOR A PROPER SHELTER

EXHORTATION TO ROTARIANS

The pressing need for the provision of some form of shelter for the street sleepers in Hongkong was emphasised by the Rev. N. V. Halward at yesterday's Rotary Club tiffin at Gloucester Building. In the course of his address, Mr. Halward stated that when a census of street sleepers was taken in 1928 it was found that in the upper levels, the western and central districts and in Wanchai there were over 2,000 sleeping out.

Mr. Halward said: Mr. President and Members of the Rotary Club of Hongkong I first of all want to thank you most sincerely for your courtesy in giving me this opportunity of speaking to you about a form of Community Service which for some years past has been much on my mind and on the minds of many others as well.

I think that the best way for me to present the subject to you is first to give you a brief recapitulation of what so far as I have been able to ascertain, has been attempted in the past, and then to give you an idea of what it is hoped to do during the coming winter.

As far back as 1924 the problem of street sleepers was ventilated in the Press consequent on reports being received of several deaths from exposure. I believe I am right in saying that the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall together with Sir Shou-sun Chou went into the matter very thoroughly but that subsequent events prevented any concrete action being taken.

Over 2,000 Sleeping Out.

In 1928 the question was again taken up by the St. Peter's Church Young Men's Club. One night a very thorough investigation of cases was made along Connaught Road and Des Voeux Road from the Post Office to St. Peter's Church, West Point. The street sleepers of all ages and both sexes were questioned and replies revealed that practically all were destitute, many being opium addicts, and others were suffering from illness of one kind or another. Others had come to the Colony with the idea that work in abundance was to be obtained, but would welcome help to return to their families in the country.

Those of us who were responsible for the investigation very definitely felt that action of some sort or other should be taken to alleviate the distress which in so many cases was obviously genuine.

The Police also made a census in the year 1928, in December, and found that in Hongkong, in the upper levels, the western and central districts and in Wanchai, there was a total number of 2,100 street sleepers.

Again many difficulties presented themselves which I will not attempt to detail here. Suffice it to say that through the good offices of Mrs. Southern and the Hon. Dr. Kotewall the Committee of the Tung Wah Hospital were handed a sum of money to which they generously added a further sum from their funds and with this money a supply of blankets and coats were distributed to street sleepers. I understand that each winter since the Tung Wah Hospital has repeated the distribution.

Only Temporary Alleviation.

Many of us feel, however, that such alleviation, good as it is, is only a very temporary one, and we feel that the time has come that very definite steps should be taken to get down to the very heart of the problem.

The inspiration for the revived interest in the subject has come from Miss Mow Fung who called an informal meeting of those interested in providing shelter for Street Sleepers on July 10th, of this year. The meeting decided to form the "Street Sleepers Shelter Society" and to invite Churches and organisations to send two representatives each to a meeting which was held yesterday evening.

After the inaugural meeting in July the sanction of the necessary authorities has been given for the use of St. Peter's Church (now temporarily closed for worship) as a Shelter. At yesterday's meeting the following organisations were represented: St. John's Cathedral, Union Church, St. Peter's Church, St. Andrew's Church, St. Stephen's Church, Y.M.C.A., Hongkong University Graduates' Association, Rotary Club, Po Leung Kuk, Y'a Men's Club, Chinese Benevolent Association, Hongkong Society for the Protection of Children, Chinese Y.M.C.A., the Tung Wah Hospital, the Chinese Chamber of Commerce.

owing to unforeseen circumstances were unable to send anyone. Committees Appointed.

The meeting decided to form an Executive Committee whose functions were to decide upon general policy, to co-ordinate the work of various sub-committees, to arrange for the taking over of St. Peter's Church for the months of December, January, February and March, and to arrange for staffing and general management of the Shelter.

The following Sub-Committees were also formed: Finance, Construction, Publicity, Medical, Evangelistic and Women's Committee.

The Bishop is being asked to be Patron, and other officials elected were:—Chairman: Rev. N. V. Halward; Hon. secretary: Miss R. Mow Fung; Hon. treasurer: Mr. Li Hoi Tung.

The Executive Committee comprises:—chairman, hon. secretary and Hon. treasurer ex-officio, with Sir Henry Pollock, Mr. S. B. Tan, Mr. J. D. Bush (to be asked) Mr. S. W. Phoon, Rev. Lee Kaupyn, Miss Atkins, Miss Leung, chairman of the Tung Wah Hospital (to be asked), chairman of the Po Leung Kuk—Mr. Mok.

Work of Committees.

The meeting then went on to appoint sub-committees which were as follows: a finance committee which will find out the amount required for general expenses and to discuss ways and means; a construction committee which will draw up general plans for accommodation and to decide such questions as whether bunks should be obtained and what number of people can be housed in the church building, and they will also arrange matters of sanitation and washing; a publicity committee which will be responsible for a public appeal through the Press, the churches and organisations represented at the meeting; a medical sub-committee to advise the construction committee on matters of sanitation, and to arrange for clinics and health lectures; an Evangelistic committee which will arrange talks on the Scriptures and two or three times a year give special messages, and also explain to the people who are housed why the shelter is provided.

Another important committee will be a Women's committee. Although amongst the street sleepers the proportion of women is small we think something should be done for them. The women's committee will be formed to go into the whole question and find out what can be done for these women.

Many Difficulties.

There are many difficulties to be faced and the many criticisms which could be raised have all been thoroughly gone into during the past few years; such criticisms as whether the scheme will not tend to draw into the Colony many more destitutes from China proper. That is one criticism I feel that this is going to be such a small venture, and is only meant to deal with cases that are genuinely destitute and again find employment or accommodation for them. I do not think the news of this institution will go so far as to bring thousands of people pouring into the Colony seeking for such shelter. We are definitely convinced that there are numbers of these street sleepers who are there through no fault of their own. During the investigations which have taken place we have questioned cases and some of them definitely have come down from China proper hearing from their friends that jobs are to be found in Hongkong. When they came down they could find no jobs and go to the streets.

Present Conditions Worse.

Conditions are even worse these days, I think, than they were in 1928 when the big investigation was made, but we really mean to get down to business. I should like to say that we look for co-operation and moral support from such organisations as the Rotary Club in the Colony and if any of you feel equal to doing some personal job of service you will find a job waiting for you on one of the committees we have just formed.

Proposing a vote of thanks to the speaker, the Hon. E. G. Powell said he did not know how the venture would work out, but it was a good thing to see that some people in the Colony were getting down to one of the Colony's many social problems. He was sure all members of the Club would do at least one thing—give their moral support to Mr. Halward and his colleagues in trying to help out in the solution of the problem. "We are told it is only a small matter."

"TO REGISTER PRIDE"

AUSTRALIAN'S \$100,000 GIFT

In addition to providing \$15,000 in prize money for the winners of next year's International air race from London to Melbourne, in connexion with the Victorian Centenary Celebrations, Sir Macpherson Robertson, the millionaire chocolate manufacturer has now made this amount up to \$100,000 for the State to "use in projects to mark the centenary", states Austral News.

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He was once offered \$3,500,000 for his business, but refused to sell it. "What should I do with my time, if I hadn't to work?" he asked.

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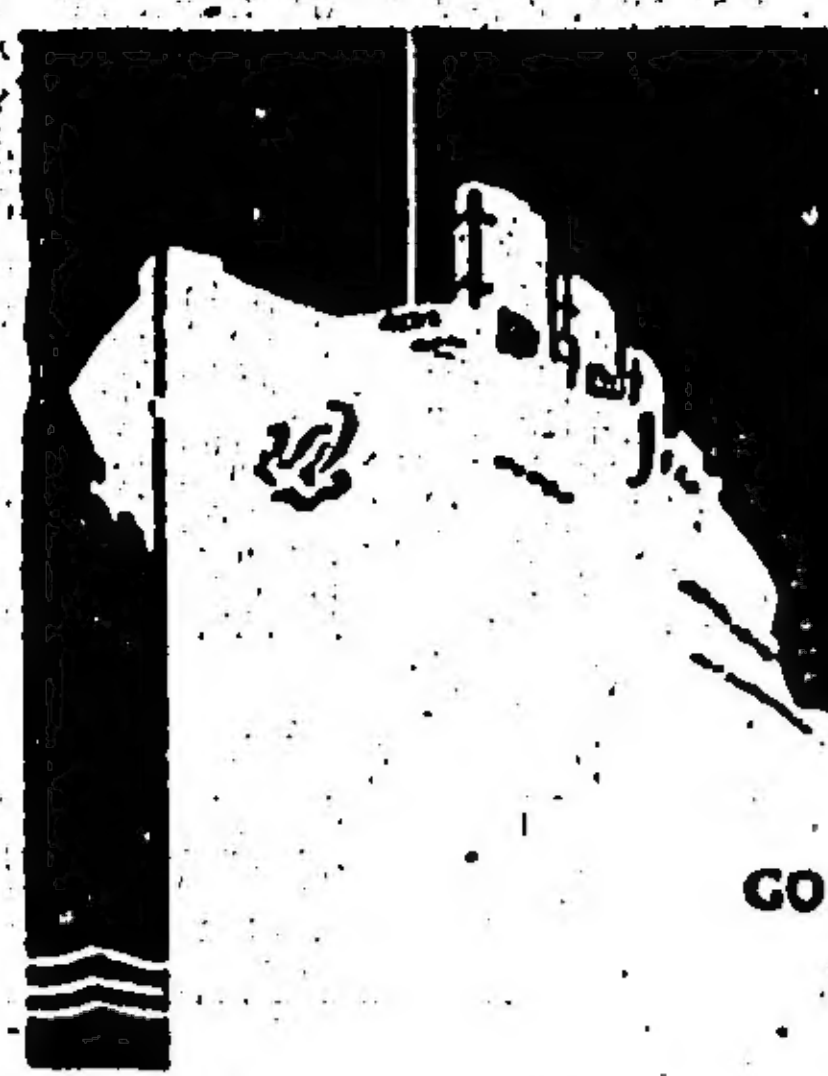
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CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

Cue bidding—that is, the bidding of a suit previously bid by an opponent in order to show control of, or no losers in, that suit—can easily be overdone.

When properly employed it is a valuable asset in contract bidding, but it should only be made when you have especially good support in the suit previously bid by your partner and control of a side suit. In other words, you are inviting a slam if your partner has control of the other suit.

To make a cue bid otherwise only directs the opponents how to attack the hand. In other words when you make a cue bid you show utter contempt for anything that the opponents may lead.

The following hand, which was given to the writer by that great contract player, Waldemar von Zedtwitz, past president of the American Bridge League and donor of the National Masters' Pair Trophy which is played for annually at Asbury Park, N. J., gives an example of correct cue bidding and also involves a neat pseudo-squeeze on the third trick.

The Bidding
South was the dealer and passed, as did West. North opened the

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| <p> ♠ K-Q-9-7-4 ♥ Q-9-6-3 ♦ A-K-9-2 ♣ None </p> | <p> ♠ None ♥ A-K-10-7-5 ♦ J-7-6-3 ♣ K-J-6-4 </p> |
| <p> ♠ A-6 ♥ J-8-4-2 ♦ Q-8 ♣ 9-8-5-3-2 </p> | <p> ♠ J-10-8-5-3-2 ♥ None ♦ 10-5-4 ♣ A-Q-10-7 </p> |

bidding third hand with a bid of one spade. East overcalled with two hearts.

South was now in a position to make a nice cue bid—he had plenty of support for his partner's suit and had control of the club suit, so his proper overall was three hearts. West doubled to show some high card strength. North showed his diamond control by bidding four diamonds.

South bid five spades to show that something more than the ace of diamonds was needed to make a slam. North, with his ace and king of diamonds, was justified in going to six spades.

The Play
East opened with king of hearts, which was trumped in dummy. A spade was returned, West winning with the ace. East discarding a heart. West returned a spade and East faces quite a problem.

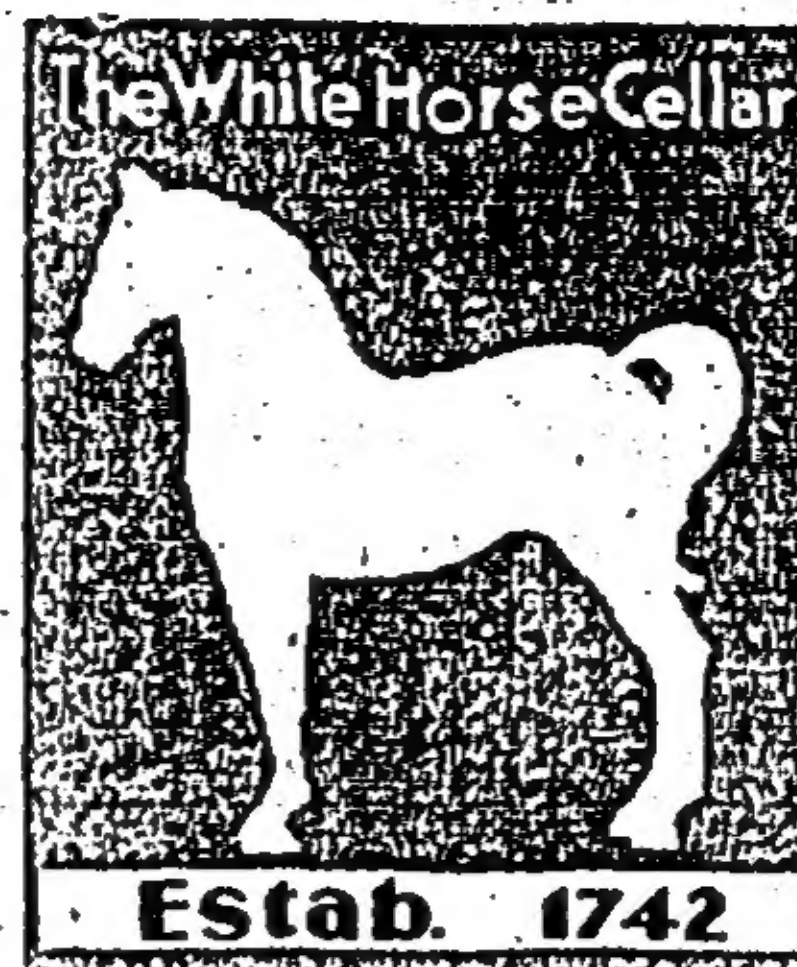
He cannot discard a heart or the declarer will set up a good heart on which to discard a losing diamond. In face of the diamond suit showing in dummy, it does not look safe to discard a diamond.

The safest play appears to be to drop a club, and this is the play that is fatal to East and West, as the declarer has only to ruff two clubs and he has two more cards with which to squeeze East.

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MAIDENS FESTIVAL BONFIRES

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Three Chinese who celebrated the Maiden Festival by lighting bonfires in the street were charged before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, and fined \$15 each.

The defendants were, Wong Ng-tn, Chan Chun and Ho Shing. Sub-Inspector Rogers said that the first defendant had lit a big bonfire outside No. 18, Shaokwan Road, opposite the Bay View police station. A motor car, actually had to pass through the fire, while a tram-car also passed close to it. It was a very dangerous thing to do, and although there was a festival on, he did not think they should be permitted to light these bonfires. The second and third defendants had their bonfires in Whitfield opposite two dwelling houses.

FIRST TIME FOR 18 YEARS

**GERMAN BLUEJACKETS
IN HONGKONG**

Passing through the Colony on the s.s. Coblenz to-day are four German bluejackets, members of the crew of the German cruiser Koln, proceeding to Sumatra to rejoin their ship. The men were laid up in Hospital when the Koln left Shanghai.

Young men of robust build and pleasing appearance, they attracted much attention when sight-seeing in the streets to-day, it being noted that this was the first time in eighteen years that the Colony has received a visit from representatives of the German Navy.

BRITISH FINANCE

**Encouraging Returns
By Treasury**

London, Aug. 29. Latest Treasury returns show that the ordinary revenue in the current financial year up to August 26th amounted to £232,205,529. At the corresponding date of last year, the amount stood at £225,630,621.

Ordinary expenditure to date for the current year totalled £268,976,158, which is about £34 million less than the total ordinary expenditure at the corresponding date of last year.—*British Wireless.*

JAMAICA GALE HAVOC

**LOSS ON BANANA
PLANTATIONS**

London, Aug. 29. The Governor of Jamaica, reporting to the Colonial Office, states that the loss to the banana crop caused by the storm on 16th August, is estimated at three-quarters of a million stems, which would have matured within six months.

The loss is restricted almost entirely to the big planters. The effect on shipments is, however, unlikely to be serious.—*British Wireless.*

FOREMAN PLACED IN PREDICAMENT

**ILLEGAL BLASTING
OPERATIONS**

Hu Shum, foreman of the Cheung Hing Company, summoned before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning for blasting during prohibited hours, was fined \$6.

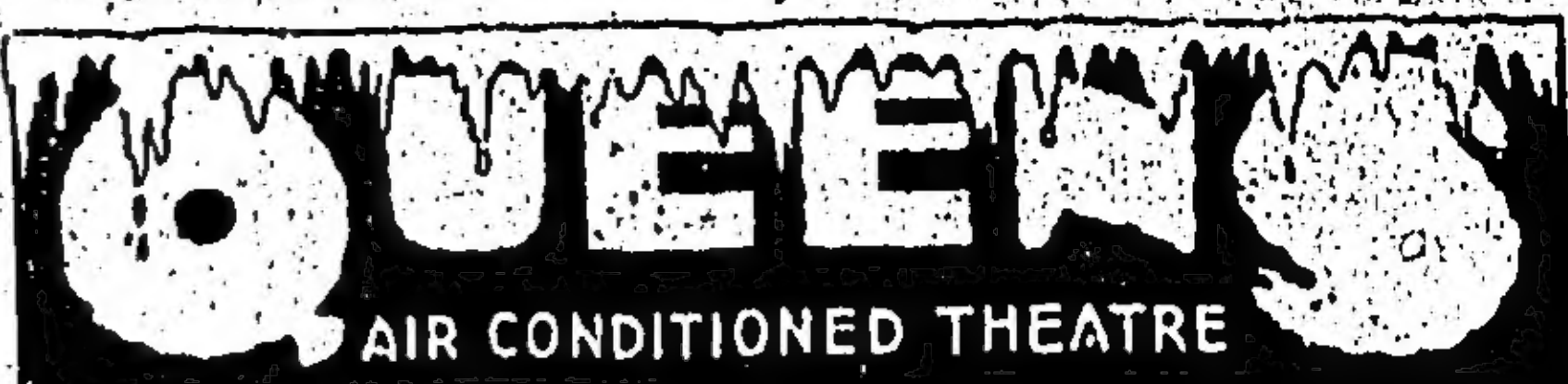
Mr. F. C. Randall appeared for the defendant, and pleaded guilty, but in mitigation said that the company was a firm of contractors erecting a large house at Stanley for the Maryknoll Mission, and they were also doing other work for the Government, P.W.D. and the Army authorities in various parts of the Colony.

They had only a permit to remove dangerous goods from their magazine at North Point to Stanley, and had no permit to store explosives on the site. It was their custom to use only two sticks of dynamite each day, and on the afternoon of August 20, the defendant was placed in a predicament. The foki, whose job it was to transfer the dynamite, did not turn up, and the defendant had either to send the dynamite back to North Point or to explode it, which course he took.

GERMAN ARRESTED AT GIBRALTAR

Gibraltar, Aug. 25. A German student, Karl Wuppermann, who, on Monday last, was arrested here whilst making sketches and taking photos in the forbidden area on the Upper Rock, has been released with a warning, an investigation having shown that the charge of espionage could not be substantiated.—*Trans-Ocean Kuo Min.*

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